

AVIATOR FOWLER LOSES CONTROL AND COLLIDES WITH TREES

Aeroplane Badly Injured
and Flight Will Be
Delayed.

BIRDMAN IS HURT

Unable to Shut Off Motor or
Guide His Machine, He
Runs Into Hill.

ALTA, Calif., Sept. 12.—Aviator "Bob" Fowler, en route from San Francisco to New York, met with the first mishap of his pioneer aerial voyage here at 10:30 o'clock this morning when, after a precarious quest of a convenient landing place necessitated by a refractory engine and steering gear, his biplane collided with two trees, breaking both planes of the craft and hurling it to the ground with such force as to break both propellers and slightly injure the birdman. As a result of the mishap, Fowler will be delayed here for at least two days before resuming his eastward voyage.

Before leaving Auburn this morning Fowler had his first trouble with his engine when a wire of the magneto circuit pulled out. The wire was taped by Fowler and his mechanics and after a preliminary test was believed to be in order again. But it is believed that it was this slight defect which caused the later trouble.

Leaving Auburn at 9:37 o'clock this morning Fowler rose to a height of 100 feet and followed the route of the Southern Pacific track through the rolling approaches to the foot hill district. For almost forty miles he sailed along without mishap, easily distancing the special train and automobiles which made the start from Auburn at the same time.

UNABLE TO RISE

As he came in view in this section however, it was apparent even to the uninitiated that something was wrong with his craft. About half a mile from here his course suddenly deviated sharply to the left and as the visor of his biplane swung round in his path he appeared to be endeavoring to make a sharp turn. Nor did he sinker. His speed until his machine dashed at its mad pace full into two trees standing apart from the other and which, apparently, could have been easily avoided had the machine been working all right. There was not space enough between the trees to permit the machine to pass through unscathed.

At a height of about forty feet from the ground the right plane of the machine struck the right hand tree with a splintering sound, and the force of the blow sent the craft careening over against the other tree.

The second blow crushed the left plane and with both wings thus crumpled in, the machine was unable to rise. It fell to the ground, and for the last fraction of a second and turned turtle as it started its fall to earth.

In falling the tail piece was doubled up beneath the craft by the force of the wind and when the machine struck the ground it was completely wrecked. The propellers, which were still working, were hurled into the air and the biplane was left a twisted mass of wreckage.

Spectators by the score who had witnessed Fowler's fall from a distance rushed to his aid and his bruises and injuries were soon being tenderly cared for. His mechanics were quickly on the scene, having arrived by the special train which was following his course. Some of the broken pieces were substituted by pieces carried on the train, but others had to be sent to Reno for repairs and it will probably be two days before the flight will be resumed.

STEARING GEAR BLOCKED

In explaining his mishap Fowler said that his steering gear had suddenly become blocked a few miles from the accident and he was helpless to direct his course. At the same time his elevating plane refused to work and his efforts to control his machine resulted in a complete loss of control. He was unable to shut off the defective magneto which had given trouble earlier in the morning. As a result Fowler was unable to direct his course from side to side, or up and down, and in addition to these troubles he was powerless to subvert his machine.

Fowler said that he had been able to shut off his motor he could easily have glided safely down on the open fields beneath. Unable to do this Fowler hoped to come to earth on his approach to the gradually rising ground ahead of him. But here again his hopes were shattered as the steering gear refused to work and the momentum of his propellers carrying him to the left he had no course to choose but to sit idly by as the craft sped swiftly on directly into the two trees which brought the first involuntary check to his journey.

Fowler declared this afternoon that he would continue his trip within three days.

WILL KEEP RIGHT ON.

ALTA, Cal., Sept. 12.—"The accident to my machine has not stopped me. I'll fly to New York as soon as the damage has been repaired," said Robert C. Fowler, transcontinental aviator, who was obliged to descend here today when the rear control of his biplane went out of commission, smashing his machine into the tops of two pine trees.

Fowler is not seriously hurt. His neck was badly wrenched and his body bruised but he was out of the Alta sanitarium a few hours after he had been taken there. He says he

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Is Hookworm to be Found in California?

SACRAMENTO, Sept. 12.—Dr. W. F. Sawyer, secretary of the State Board of Health, today addressed a letter to Surgeon General Walter Wyman at Washington asking if Dr. Silles, official investigator for the service can be detailed for service on the Pacific coast in making an investigation of hookworm conditions. He also addressed a letter to Dr. Wickliffe Rose, administrative secretary of the Rockefeller sanitary commission asking if the Rockefeller institution can provide financial aid in the event that hookworm eradication in California should be demonstrated as vitally important.

Investigations already made, he says, show that immigrants who have been coming into the state in considerable numbers are suffering with hookworm. It has developed that some of the states deep gold mines are infested, and there is evidence that some native Californians have developed the disease.

TORRENT OF LAVA POURS DOWN SIDE OF MOUNT ETNA

CATANIA, Sicily, Sept. 12.—The crest of Mount Etna now presents a terrifying spectacle. Heavy smoke lies over it, with frequent brilliant flashes and the bombardment which is continuous along a line nearly two miles in extent is like the firing of heavy artillery.

A torrent of burning lava, 2000 feet wide and four feet deep, is pouring down the slope. Everything in its way has been carried before it.

Grasses of trees have been uprooted and set on fire and the lava stream is sweeping through the fields, sending out for miles around hot waves of resinous smoke.

The peasants have left their homes, carrying with them the aged, the sick and the children and whatever meager belongings they were able to get together.

A whole region covered with hard-baked lava from past eruptions has been torn open by frequent earth shocks. Many of these quakes have been of great violence and the peasants fear a repetition of the Messina disaster.

GIRL OF FIFTEEN AGAIN ARRESTED ON FORGERY CHARGE

LOS ANGELES, Sept. 12.—Margaret Coffey, aged 15, is under arrest again on a charge of passing bad checks. Margaret is under probation for her first offense and will be arraigned in juvenile court today on the second charge of forgery and also for breaking her probation. As before, she confessed love of fine clothes was the cause of her downfall. She was captured in a big department store and readily confessed, facing the detectives with her big blue eyes and, proving, the police say, their claim that she is the cleverest swindler they have dealt with for years. Her forgeries number more than a dozen. Her father is now in jail on a charge of non support.

INDIANA OFFICIAL IS CHARGED WITH DEMANDING BRIBE

GARY, Ind., Sept. 12.—A warrant charging John J. Nibhoff, former commissioner of public works of this city, with soliciting a bribe of \$10,000, was placed in the hands of Deputy Sheriff Morris today. The charges are made by T. B. Dunn, who last week caused the arrest of Mayor Knott and five aldermen on charges of bribery in connection with granting a heating franchise.

It is alleged that Nibhoff demanded \$10,000 of Dunn for a coal yard, saying that the heating franchise would be granted if Dunn took over Nibhoff's coal yard.

A statement by A. E. Knott, brother of the mayor, was issued today in which it is charged that the alleged bribe money found in the mayor's desk on the day of his arrest was "planted" there by Dunn.

TERRY PAYS \$100,000; SHASTA COUNTY BANK MAY BE REHABILITATED

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—Receipt of \$100,000 from J. E. Terry of Sacramento in settlement of a claim held against him by the defunct Bank of Shasta county was announced today by W. R. Williams, state superintendent of banks. This sum will go far, it is said, toward brightening out the bank's affairs.

The settlement is in accordance with an order entered by the superior court of Shasta county, from which Terry appealed. After the Shasta county grand jury concerned him from any offense in connection with the bank's failure early last spring, Terry had the appeal dismissed.

INDEPENDENCE MOVEMENT IN WESTERN CHINA

Imperial Government Is
Thoroughly Alarmed
By Uprising.

TROOPS ARE DISLOYAL

Missionaries Driven From
Cheng Tu Not Heard
From.

PEKIN, Sept. 12.—An imperial edict issued today says the ring leaders in the disorders in Sze Chuen province intend to proclaim independence. As a consequence the Chinese government has ordered the victory to destroy the rebels to the last man.

The victory's attention has been called to the fact that many of those taking part in the disturbances are missing and the government instructed him to distinguish between them and the actual rebels in imposing punishment.

The possibility of serious results in Sze Chuen is great. If the rebellion is not promptly suppressed, it is likely to spread to other provinces where there has been much discontent of late. Some of the newspapers are urging the people to join in the rising, but the merchants everywhere are fearful that if the rebels are successful it may be the beginning of a general conflagration.

The Japanese legation has received a dispatch indicating that Chinese troops are among the rebels who are besieging Cheng Tu. No reports have reached here, however, as to the extent of the fighting. The Yang Tze region of the province has not yet broken out, although it is ready to participate if the movement seems to be successful.

It is not known whether the American and Canadian missionaries have left Cheng Tu. Their last telegram declared their intention of sending their women and children forward. If they left the city and made the journey in safety by the river, they should reach the Yang Tze in a day or two. The best means of escape would be by junk, in which the fugitives would be less conspicuous than if proceeding by carts across the country.

STRIKE SITUATION IN SPAIN SERIOUS

State of Siege Proclaimed
at Bilbao and Troops
En Route.

BILBAO, Spain, Sept. 12.—The strike situation in this city is serious and steadily growing worse. A state of siege has been proclaimed and reinforcements of 5000 troops are on their way here.

Business is at a standstill, stores and railways have stopped.

Desperate encounters between strikers and troops are of constant occurrence. The soldiers have fired on the mob several times and last night the civil guards wounded 5 persons, two fatally.

Striking miners at Oviedo dynamited a railroad bridge to prevent transportation of coal from a colliery where the men refused to strike. Troops have been dispatched to that town.

MANY LEGISLATORS TO BE ARRESTED

Confession of Ohio Corruption
tationist Opens Up Notorious Scandal.

COLUMBUS, O., Sept. 12.—With the grand jury of Franklin county ready to convene next Monday, it is expected that process servers will be busy in various parts of the state for the next ten days.

It was admitted by representatives of the attorney general and of the local prosecutor today that the confession which Rodney J. Diggle admits he is preparing at French Lick, Ind., promises to open the widest field of investigation that has developed since the bribery scandal broke at the close of the late session of the legislature.

While no subpoenas will be issued until after Diggle's statement has been received it is said the prosecutors already have information in a general way about many of those who, it is expected will be mentioned.

The statement was made today that the common pleas court is likely to take on more of the appearance of a legislative session, inasmuch as more than half the members of both Senate and House are likely to be called here.

FRENCH LICK SPRINGS, Ind., Sept. 12.—Complete failure of efforts up to late last night to find Rodney J. Diggle, former sergeant at arms of the Ohio state senate, who was quoted from here today as promising a confession regarding the alleged bribery in the Ohio legislature, casts doubt upon the belief that he came here and then upon the genuineness attributed to him.

MADERO WARNS CONGRESS NOT TO POSTPONE VOTE

Says Serious Consequences
Will Follow Yielding to
Reyistas.

HIS ENEMIES COMBINE

Congress in Hands of Reactionaries Who Desire
Delay.

MEXICO CITY, Sept. 12.—Expressing the belief that Chugary and kindred methods will be used by the followers of Francisco I. Madero if the national elections take place October 1st, the Reyes delegates in convention today decided to petition Congress to postpone the election for President. As a protest against an election which they charge would be unfair, the delegates agreed not to nominate a vice president. Tomorrow the last session of the convention will be held and a committee instructed to draft the petition to Congress will report.

That it is possible Congress will need to the petition is conceded by Madero, who in anticipation of the action of the Reyesistas today sent a communication to Congress bitterly opposing such action.

It is to be expected that the Maderistas, confident of their present strength, will vigorously fight postponement of the election. However, a large part of Congress is composed of men representing the old regime and if they vote in accordance with their present desires they will doubtless favor the petition.

THREAT OF DISORDER

In his note to Congress, Madero hinted that such action might be followed by serious circumstances, for which he declared he would not be responsible.

Popularly, the action of the Reyesistas today is regarded as the playing of one of his trump cards. If Congress decides to postpone the election, Reyes' chances for success would be greatly enhanced.

If the election be held in October, many supporters of Reyes admit he would have no chance for election. The Vasconcelos faction of the committee, Madero, are more than willing to join issues with the Reyesistas.

The Reyesistas allege the government has not been able to restore order and that the disorders will increase from now until the election and that when the polls open none but the followers of Madero will have a guarantee of a free ballot. Delegates openly declared their belief that the Maderistas were prepared in hundreds of places to offer forcible resistance to the casting of any votes for General Reyes.

However, it was the expression of the convention that in case Congress should not grant its petition, adherents of Reyes would go to the polls and cast their ballots if possible.

FRANCE PREPARES MOROCCAN ANSWER

Tells Germany Equality of
Rights Must Be
Preserved.

PARIS, Sept. 12.—A momentous meeting of the cabinet was held this afternoon to consider France's reply to Germany's counter proposals in the Moroccan negotiations. The meeting lasted three hours. The terms and rough draft of the document were laid before the ministers by Foreign Minister Desseles and were discussed and scrutinized from every aspect.

Although the ministers formally refused to satisfy curiosity by making any statement as to what passed at the historic council, it is said the cabinet accorded its fullest approval of the reply prepared by Desseles, which is no less explicit than that submitted by Germany.

The reply sets France in the clearest possible manner France's position with regard to the question of principle raised by Germany and pays particular attention to the necessity of maintaining commercial equality for all and of assuring to France of an absolutely free hand particularly in Morocco.

The minister will proceed to Rambouillet tomorrow to submit the decision of the cabinet to President Fallieres. He will then have drawn up the definite text of the reply, which will be dispatched from Paris without delay and will be in the possession of the German government by the end of the week.

NEW RAILWAY PLANNED TO REACH SACRAMENTO

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—A railroad between some point in Marin county shore on San Pablo bay and Sacramento is the project for which the California Terminal Company was incorporated yesterday. Articles of incorporation were filed with the county clerk here.

The road as outlined is to pass through Marin, Sonoma, Napa, Solano, Yolo and Sacramento counties, a distance of 95 miles.

The incorporators are W. C. Coulls, W. M. Rank and R. A. Morton. They have subscribed \$150,000 of the \$200,000 capital stock, and \$15,000 is paid in.

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Judge Wallace Decides
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Mandamus.

WILL BE APPEALED

Court Holds Law Does Not
Compel Issuance of
Licenses.

VISALIA, Cal., Sept. 12.—What it said to be the first decision affecting the Wyllie local option law was handed down today by Superior Judge W. B. Wallace in the mandamus action brought by F. Maxwell against the city trustees of Visalia to compel them to grant a liquor license.

It was an exhaustive opinion, covering ten typewritten pages, in which Judge Wallace denied the writ of mandamus asked for by F. B. Maxwell, a local saloon keeper, in which it was sought to compel the city trustees to canvass the vote cast at the election held on July 17th, proclaim a "wet" victory and declare Visalia "wet" territory.

Although Judge Wallace sustained the defendant to the writ and refused the issuance thereof, he declared the saloon forces had obtained a majority of the votes cast at the election within the meaning of the law. Nullifying this, however, is the fact, according to the court, that the trustees have a right to legislate the saloons out of business if they so desire. In effect, the decision is an affirmation that the trustees have full power and can do as they please in the premises without hindrance.

ELECTION MEANINGLESS

The election held in July, therefore, really amounted to nothing at all in the eyes of the law. The election was thrown out not legally, as it could not be considered in summing up a majority. As a result the saloon forces polled a majority of votes. Petitioner Maxwell was not a party interested, although a saloonkeeper, because it was not averred that he was the holder of an unexpired license, or that his rights had been affected to a greater extent than those of any other citizen, consequently he is not entitled to a mandamus writ.

The victory of the "wets" did not obligate the trustees to pass a license ordinance, as the local option law contains no statement that if a majority vote be in favor of license, liquor traffic must be permitted and licensed.

The "dry" ordinance was in effect July 17th and the state legislature has no power to repeal a city ordinance.

On this subject of the right of the city trustees to legislate the court says:

"The legislature has no power to repeal a city ordinance. It may by a general law made operative by a vote of the people in any city, suspend the ordinance, but when the general law is rendered inoperative by a subsequent vote of the people and temporarily devitalized local law springs at once into vigor and activity. When a vote is taken to put such a general law in operation in a city and it is rejected, the status of the city and of all its ordinances and any other state laws on the question remain unchanged."

"While, therefore, the city trustees could not legally declare the city no-license territory under the rejected local option law, it would still be no-license territory if made such by its own existing ordinance."

"This conclusion is inevitable from the title of the act, from the fact that it does not contain, and does not submit to the electors, any alternative general law providing for the sale and licensing of intoxicating liquors, because also, the constitution in the absence of such a general law has vested in the city police powers to regulate or prohibit the liquor traffic; and for the additional and forcible reason, that the act itself declares that, 'Nothing in this act shall be construed as putting limitations upon the power of the police powers now possessed by cities, towns and counties.'"

"It is unnecessary to consider the other questions involved. The petitioner has not shown himself to be a party beneficially interested in the proceeding, and under the facts disclosed the court can make no order interfering with the acts of the city trustees."

WILL BE APPEALED

The decision has been received with universal interest locally and throughout while Judge Wallace was reading his decision was filled to the doors.

Attorneys for the saloon interests declined to say this afternoon what proceedings would be taken in the premises, but it is understood that an appeal will promptly be taken. Meanwhile, Visalia will remain "dry" with the no-saloon ordinance upon and in effect. Violations will be punishable by the penalties provided therein.

There was a hint this afternoon that the recall might be invoked to oust the city trustees and place others on the board favorable to a licensing ordinance. There is a general belief, however, that such an election, should it be held, would avail nothing.

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BALLOT HEADLINES

Really, a lawyer should never be permitted to write anything for anybody but the Supreme court to read. If you want it done so that the people can understand it, hire a newspaper man.

The most recent horrible example is the ballot on which the people of California are to vote on October 10. This ballot does not contain the text of the amendments, but only the titles put over them by the lawyers who wrote them. In a few cases the Secretary of State has gone as far, probably, as the law would permit in upholding brief parenthetical explanations of what it is all about. But nowhere is there a headline, or catch line, such as any newspaper man would devise, making it apparent at a glance what is the subject of each amendment. Probably the law (written by lawyers) would not permit any catch line. But without such captions, the ballot is almost unintelligible, and in some instances wholly so.

For instance, the twentieth proposition is an amendment to make the office of clerk of the Supreme court appointive. That is all, absolutely all, that the amendment will do, and it could all be expressed, so as to be instantaneously intelligible, by the single caption, in black type, "TO MAKE CLERK OF SUPREME COURT APPOINTIVE BY COURT." Then, if any legal requirements made it necessary to print a lot of rigmarole under it, in small type, which nobody would read, of course there would be no harm in that. But here is the statement on the ballot, from which the ordinary voter is supposed to find out what this amendment is—

20. Assembly Constitutional Amendment No. 32. A resolution to propose to the people of the State of California an amendment to the constitution of the State of California by amending section fourteen of article six thereof, relating to the election and compensation of a clerk of the Supreme court, also relating to county clerks being ex-officio clerks of courts of record, and also relating to appointments by the superior courts of court commissioners, and also by amending section twenty-one of said article six of the said constitution, relating to the appointment by the Supreme court of a reporter and assistant reporter, and the appointment by the district courts of appeal of its clerk, and also relating to the duties and compensation of such officers.

This is not the amendment. It is a lawyer's idea of a headline. And, mind, we are not objecting to it as a headline in the statute books. If this is the language lawyers understand, then by all means let them write in it. But for ordinary human perusal it has the double disadvantage of being unintelligible and misleading. No merely human reader can discover by reading, much less by glancing at this headline that what the amendment proposes is to make the office of clerk of the Supreme court appointive. Neither can any merely human reader avoid the impression that the amendment proposes to do something in regard to county clerks, court commissioners, reporters and assistant reporters. The fact is that the amendment leaves the constitution, as to all these matters, exactly as it is now, changing nothing but the method of selecting the clerk of the Supreme court.

We repeat: Let the lawyers write the statute books, for each other's perusal, in whatever language they think they understand, or suspect that courts understand. But on the ballot, intended for human perusal and understanding, let at least the headlines be written in English. And hire a newspaper man to write those headlines.

ANTI-SUFFRAGE GUFF

One does not have to be excitedly pro-suffrage to get rather exasperated at the illogic of the anti-suffragists. The real opposition to women suffrage is not an argument, but a feeling; a sort of instinctive reluctance of men to grant and of women to accept the responsibility of voting. That instinct will determine many votes—practically all the votes, in fact, which are cast against women suffrage—and it is an instinct which is entitled to respect, in spite of the fact that it makes no pretense of being founded on reason. But when instinct gives way to argument the whole thing becomes so absurdly lame that the only question is whether to laugh at it or to be irritated at it.

For instance, take the latest local pronouncement on the subject. The arguments are these:

- (1) Women do not need the ballot.
- (2) Women do not want the ballot.
- (3) Women are constitutionally unfitted to vote because, physically, they can not fight, and, mentally, their perspective is too limited to understand public questions.
- (4) Suffrage will add to the voting population a large number of ignorant, foreign and vicious women.
- (5) Equal suffrage is not necessary for the welfare of the body politic.

In other words, women do not need nor want the ballot, the ballot does not need them, and they are physically, mentally, and in dangerous proportions morally unfit for the ballot.

the ballot. Neither do grocers, or red-headed men, or Elks, or any other single group of men whose rights would probably be fairly safe in the hands of the rest of the men. But with the multitude of women now living their own lives and earning their own living, there has grown up a vast number of individuals and a whole class of interests which ought to be represented in government. Whether they "need" to be represented or not, they certainly have a right to be represented. And whether the body politic needs the votes of women or not, the same aspects it decidedly does; it is at least not a representative body politic if the women are excluded from it. For, whatever they may once have been, women are now a part of the body politic.

It is the arguments of unfitness that are most grotesque. "Unable to bear arms!" Since when was a physical examination made a requirement for voting? Not one-half the male population could pass the recruiting officer, and not one in a thousand of them, under modern conditions, is ever likely to have to shoulder a musket aimed. Women can at least bear soldiers, which is quite as important a military necessity as bearing arms.

"Mentally unfit!" Half the pupils in the primary schools, much more than half the students in the high schools, most of those in the cultural courses in the universities, and all of them in the normal schools, belong to this mentally incapable sex. The education of men is growing narrower and that of women is growing broader. Of the higher education, women are rapidly acquiring nearly a monopoly. In the training of practical life, the average woman is no more absorbed in her home than the average man is in his business, and she has more leisure as well as more ambition to learn outside things. Really, if the present tendency goes much farther, "women's suffrage" will be the only way to assure intelligent suffrage.

"Vicious women!" To be sure there are. But not one-tenth so many as vicious men. And even taking the two at their worst, who would not rather trust to the votes of the prostitute class of women than to those of their viler cohorts, who now vote everywhere and are an important element in the politics of many cities? The prostitute vote, if its insignificant numbers gave it any influence at all, would be cast in favor of protecting the human rights of these unfortunate women, who now have no protection at all, least of all from the men who now vote for them. If the women of the tenderloin were the only voters in San Francisco, they would give it a better government than the one it now has, under the domination of the mob of the tenderloin. And, of course, the women of the under-world will never be an appreciable part of the vote, either in numbers or influence. The men of the under-world unfortunately, are already a very powerful and dangerous part of the vote. The moral quality of the body politic will be distinctly improved by the addition of the women, incomparably their superiors, on whom they now prey.

Physically, women have all the qualifications for citizenship which men are now required to have or called upon to exercise. Mentally, the average qualification of average women is as good as that of men, and there is a larger proportion of women of exceptional qualifications. Morally, the average woman is far better than the average man, and the worst woman is far better than the sort of man to whom she corresponds. Officially, women have now become a part of the body politic. All the arguments against women suffrage have disappeared.

Even that does not mean that the arguments for it are conclusive. A thing does not have to be done merely because there is no reason for not doing it. The doing becomes a matter of emotion and will, as well as of intellect. That is what this election is going to settle—the feeling and will of the electorate on a question of which nothing else remains to be settled. Simply as a matter of logic, the argument is all one way. As a matter of will, it is determinable either way, and California is now determining it—in the affirmative, apparently, if indications count much.

IF MAINE IS STILL DRY

The latest returns from Maine indicate a reversal of yesterday's indications, and a continuation of constitutional prohibition by a bare majority of 295 in the state. If this should turn out to be the case, it is unfortunate. Local self-government, being a natural condition, can very well be maintained though granted by a bare majority of one; but the local government of one community on a local question by the votes of other communities is an unnatural condition that nothing but a decisive majority could give it moral sanction. The communities which have been evading the law will now feel better justified than ever in continuing to do so. The agitation for recommitment and repeal will go on, and the result so nearly attained now is bound to be reached in the end. Meantime there will be more openly flaunted contempt of the law than ever; prohibition will be no better enforced in the really prohibition districts than it would be under local option, and the saloon question will be far worse in the other places than it would be under local regulation. Morally, it is a tie vote, anyway; so, practically, it is a pity if it does not go the way of local option.

An article that has real merit should in time become popular. That such is the case with Chamberlain's Cough Remedy has been attested by many dealers. Here is one of them. H. W. Hendrickson, Ohio Falls, Ind., writes: "Chamberlain's Cough Remedy is the best for coughs, colds and croup, and is my best seller." For sale by all dealers.

AVIATOR FOWLER LOSES CONTROL AND COLLIDES WITH TREES

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will personally attend to the repair work.

Explaining his accident, Fowler said: "The rear control of the plane began to work badly. The machine kept swinging around in a circle. I tried to maneuver by warping the wings so that I might make a landing. An extra heavy gust of wind struck me and turned the plane squarely around. I tried to point her down but the controller would not respond.

"I was unable to shut off the engine because the controller controlling the spark would not work. By this time I was into the trees."

Guinness sticks out all over young Fowler even in his present distress. "I am sorry to disappoint the people at Reno who were expecting me, but I'll get her together again and be off towards the east. The engine is all O. K. and all that will need rebuilding are the skids and uprights in the center."

GROWERS ASK TAFT TO HOLD OFF ON SULPHUR

Don't Want Action 'Until the Remsen Board Makes Report.

(Special to the Republican.)

SAN JOSE, Sept. 12.—Fearing that President Taft may fall into line with the views of Dr. Wiley, head chemist of the Agricultural department, concerning the sulphuring of fruit and thus before the Remsen board has an opportunity to make a report, settle this question for the agricultural department, action was taken today by five prominent commercial and civic bodies of the county to head off any such move. The San Joaquin Valley does not want President Taft to settle this matter until the Remsen board has been heard from, and for this reason sent a telegram to present the views of the local growers, whose interests they say are worthy of consideration, in view of the fact that \$11,500,000 worth of fruit was grown in the valley this year and the leaders are against the use of sulphur, it would be a hard blow to the Santa Clara Valley.

WINS DAMAGE SUIT ON RECLAMATION DISTRICT

Stockton Judge's Ruling Marks New Departure in Practice.

(Special to the Republican.)

STOCKTON, Sept. 12.—Judge J. A. Plummer of the superior court here has established a precedent in a ruling today that caused much discussion. It grew out of a suit for damages against a reclamation district by Charles A. Kelley, who was awarded \$2190, to the great surprise of the members of the local bar. The particular precedent established involves United States constitutional law and is to the effect that a judgment for damages can be entered against a reclamation district and other quasi-corporations, such precedent being a radical departure from other cases involving the same or similar pleadings which have been decided in this state. The defense maintained that the trustees acted for the best interests of the majority of the property owners in constructing the levee, and that in so doing they did not exceed their legal rights. The plaintiff contended that the dam had caused an egress of flood water upon his land and damaged eighty acres of grain. He asked for damages and that the dam be removed.

It has been learned that a decision rendered by Justice Lumm of the United States Supreme Court on July 15th was the prime cause of Judge Plummer establishing a precedent in California.

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Constipation is caused by weakness of the nerves and muscles of the large intestines or descending colon. To expect a cure you must therefore tone up and strengthen those organs and restore them to healthier activity. We want you to try *Dr. H. H. H.* Orderlies on our guarantee. They are eaten like candy, and are particularly ideal for children. They act directly on the nerves and muscles of the bowels. They have a neutral action on the other organs or glands. They do not purge or cause any inconvenience whatever. They will positively relieve chronic or habitual constipation and the myriads of associate or dependent chronic ailments. Try *Dr. H. H. H.* Orderlies at our risk. Three sizes, 10c, 25c, and 50c. Sold only at our store—The Rexall Store. The Monroq Drug Co.

First-Class Horse Shoeing and Blacksmithing

We are prepared to do all kinds of auto spring repairing on short notice. If in need of anything in that line give us a call. We will treat you right. *CLARK, BRO.*

BIGGEST OF BUNCO MEN IS CAPTURED

S. A. Potter Said to Have Made \$1,500,000 By His Swindles.

CHICAGO, Sept. 12.—S. A. Potter, who is said to have garnered more than \$1,500,000 from the money of two continents during the last few years, by means of gold brick swindles and confidence games, was locked in jail tonight.

He was arrested today by Chief De Woody, division superintendent of the department of justice, after he had been sought for a year by the police of almost every city in the country. English detectives also are said to have sought Potter and his companions, who were credited with having extracted numerous dollars from credulous Londoners.

Potter, who was also known as George W. Post, was wanted here on an indictment of swindling. Potter and Edward Starkloff are wanted in Philadelphia also, where they forfeited a \$23,000 bond in the United States court a year ago.

In view of this forfeiture and the report that the confidence men, of whom Potter is said to be the leader, continually keep large amounts of protection money within reach, Chief De Woody will make every effort to keep his prisoners under lock and key until he is brought to trial.

A cash bond of \$50,000 offered by Potter was refused by federal officials, who declared nothing less than \$150,000 cash bond would suffice.

Starkloff, who is said to have operated with Potter under a score of names, is in the city, according to De Woody, and secret service and city detectives are searching for him. A ruse to land him when at the Potter home failed. Starkloff telephoned to Potter and De Woody answered the telephone. When De Woody, pretending to be Potter, failed to answer a question asked in a secret code, Starkloff rang off suddenly.

HAD SUCKER LIST

At Potter's home much evidence, including what the secret service men termed a "sucker" list of former and prospective victims, was found. In addition to unusual skill and daring at all the well-known swindling games, the gold brick game, the "sick engineer" and the "salted mine" plants, Potter and his men are said to have appealed to the avarice of victims and according to detectives, his latest and one of the most highly remunerative ventures made his victims equally chagrined.

After jumping his \$23,000 bond in Philadelphia, Potter and Starkloff are said to have opened an office here and flooded the Middle West with advertisements of spurious money for sale at half price. The counterfeit bills, it was advertised, were made from plates stolen at the United States mint at Philadelphia and were splendid counterfeits. Safety was guaranteed and money rolled in for a time.

The "suckers" usually received a package of blank paper for its money. Being in a position of having sought to defraud the government, the investor would not dare complain, and the swindle was conducted with little risk by the perpetrators.

Chief De Woody tonight said it was likely the prisoners would be taken to Philadelphia for trial instead of facing a charge of using the mails to defraud. It is believed there is more evidence in the Philadelphia case and a greater penalty could be imposed there.

On Store Policy

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SAVES FIVE YEARS TO BUY AN AUTO; NOW ONLY JUNK

NEW YORK, Sept. 12.—After saving for five years to buy an automobile, Adolph Brambler, a Brooklyn clerk, today has nothing but a worthless pile of junk to show for the \$2,000 machine which he purchased yesterday. He had his car exactly three hours.

After two hours' instruction in running the machine, Brambler set out alone to drive home. He got over the Brooklyn bridge all right, but thought he had better get the assistance of a chauffeur to thread the crowded streets of the Brooklyn business section. He pulled up at a garage near the bridge and asked a negro standing outside where he could get a driver.

"Why, sure, right here," exclaimed the negro. "I'm a chauffeur." The negro bent over to crank the engine. An explosion followed. Brambler was jerked out of his seat onto the pavement. The car burst into flames. The negro disappeared. Ten minutes later nothing was left of the car but charred metal.

SELF-GOVERNMENT FOR CO-EDS, BUT NOT MEN

Stanford Women Given Full Charge of Own Discipline.

PALO ALTO, Cal., Sept. 12.—Women students of Leland Stanford university are given full charge of their own discipline by action of the faculty made public today. The men students are not considered ready for so much participation in their government and their disciplinary cases go to the faculty. A certain degree of self-government is allowed the men on the other affairs.

Five women students of the senior class, to be elected yearly, will pass upon all cases of discipline among their sisters. This committee, known as the judicial board, is composed of Miss Nellie Morse, San Francisco; Miss Gertrude Workman, Los Angeles; Miss Ruth Sampson, San Diego; Miss Dorothy Marx, Palo Alto, and Miss Linda Bell, Helena, Mont.

A movement has been started among the men students to make themselves worthy of the privilege granted to the women.

GOES MANY HUNDRED FEET BELOW MOUTH OF VESUVIUS CRATER

NAPLES, Sept. 12.—Professor Cappello today returned from a descent into the crater of Mount Vesuvius for scientific observations. He succeeded in descending many hundred feet below the mouth of the crater.

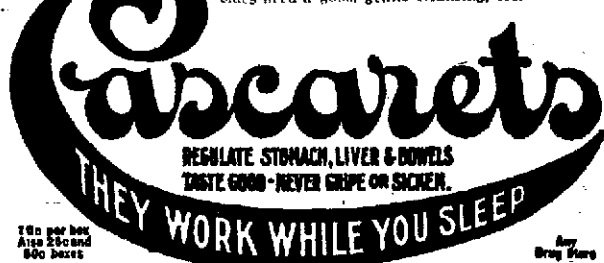
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LAZY LIVER, BILIOUSNESS, HEADACHE, COATED TONGUE OR A BAD STOMACH.

You men and women who somehow can't get feeling right—who have an almost daily headache, coated tongue, foul taste and foul breath, disordered stomach, or have backache and feel all worn out. Are you keeping clean inside with Cascarets—or merely forcing a passage-way every few days with salts, cathartic pills or castor oil? This is important.

Cascarets immediately cleanse and regulate the stomach, remove the sour undigested and fermenting food and foul gases; take the excess bile from the liver and carry off the decomposed waste matter and poison from the intestines and bowels.

A Cascaret tonight will straighten you out by morning—a 10-cent box will keep your entire family feeling good for a month. Don't forget the children—their little insides need a good, gentle cleansing, too.



Look Back of the Stove—Look for the "Reason Why"

Back of every manufacturing and commercial enterprise, every successful one, there is some good "reason why."

Back of the great successful industry in St. Louis that manufactures the stove and range that we so much want to deliver to your home, is "quality."

Into every stove or range that leaves that factory is put the brain power that has made successful stoves for over half a century.

A sixty-year test is a pretty sure test, isn't it? Then, why not be sure of the service of your new stove or range—make it "Duck's"—one that has stood the test of sixty years?

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To and From Fresno Account

Ringling Bros. Circus

Sept. 14th 1911

Via Southern Pacific

Leave Volta, 7:30 a. m.

Leave Los Banos, 7:40 a. m.

Leave Dos Palos, 8:05 a. m.

Leave Firebaugh, 8:35 a. m.

Leave Mendota, 8:50 a. m.

Leave Kerman, 9:20 a. m.

Returning leave Fresno, 6 p. m. for Volta and intermediates.

Special leaves Fresno 11 p. m. for Merced and intermediates and special leaves Fresno 11 p. m. for Clovis and Friant to care for people returning from the circus.

Special rates fare and one-third from all stations.

For particulars see local agents

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Business Office, 97.
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Job Printing Department, 220.
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THE WEATHER

WEATHER PREDICTION.
WASHINGTON, Sept. 12.—Cool and cloudy weather over the northern districts, with light rain and drizzle over the southern and sufficient rainfall in most of the principal agricultural districts for present needs. The chief features of the weather for the week, according to the crop weather bulletin issued by the weather bureau today.

FRESNO, Cal., Sept. 12.—Local data:
Barometer at 9 a. m. 30.25
Temperature at 9 a. m. 75
Wind direction at 9 a. m. W.
Wind velocity at 9 a. m. 8
Humidity at 9 a. m. 77
Precipitation at 9 a. m. 0
State of sky at 9 a. m. Cloudy
Highest temperature Tuesday 85
Lowest temperature Tuesday 55
Highest temperature Wednesday 85
Lowest temperature Wednesday 55
Local forecast: Fair and continued cool weather Wednesday.
Temperature and precipitation at other stations.

Stations	Lowest	Highest	Barometer	Wind	Direction	Force	Clouds	Precipitation
Boston	54	74	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
Buffalo	56	76	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
Chicago	58	78	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
Denver	60	80	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
Indianapolis	62	82	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
Los Angeles	64	84	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
Memphis	66	86	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
New Orleans	68	88	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
New York	70	90	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
Portland, Ore.	72	92	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
St. Louis	74	94	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
San Francisco	76	96	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00
Washington	78	98	30.15	W	10	0	Cloudy	0.00

WEATHER CONDITIONS.

A broad area of low barometric pressure still covers the entire region from the Pacific to the Rocky Mountains causing some light showers on the north Pacific coast and moderate showers with thunderstorms in Arizona. In California, no rain fell except a light shower on the extreme north coast. General cloudiness prevails over the plateau this morning and fog has returned to the central and northern portions of the state. Fair weather is reported from the Great Lakes to the Atlantic attending the progress of a barometric disturbance from the upper Mississippi Valley to Maine. This disturbance was followed by a rapid rise in pressure over Minnesota and the eastern portions of the Dakota which has caused a temperature fall of from 10 to 25 degrees over those states.

The distribution of barometric pressure on the Pacific slope this morning indicates fair settled weather in Fresno and vicinity during the next thirty-six hours. It will be warm, this afternoon, and continue unchanged during Wednesday. W. E. BONNETT, Local Forecaster.

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—Forecast: San Joaquin valley: Fair Wednesday; somewhat warmer; light north wind.

LOCAL BREVITIES

While Heath Penches
Tuberculosis. See ad.
Dr. Allen, dentist, has returned.
Ask for Danish Creamery butter
Jersey Farm Dairy Co. Main 244.
Fruit tickets at Republic office.
Dr. O. B. Doyle, Land Co. Building.
Dr. Phillips, dentist, Land Co. Bldg.
C. K. Kirby, architect, Forsyth Bldg.
Cockrell & Duff, dentists, Patterson Bldg.
Dr. Martin has returned. Office corner of 3 and Fresno, phone 324.
Merchants' lunch served at Eagle Cafe, open till midnight, 1121 J street.
Fruit pickers' tally tags carried in stock at the Fresno Republican job printing office.
Holland's "O. K." Coffee.
The best value for 50c per lb.
On the market.
For rent: A single office and a splendid suite of offices in Forsyth Building. See Noble Bldg. Co. Room 116.
Have your tires filled with Day's resilient filler; no more punctures or blow-outs, at Warner's Garage, 1112 J St.
Fresno dancing academy will open Saturday, September 16, in Armory hall. Teaching from 7:30 to 9. Social dances from 9 to 12.
Haveness Hoveyden, who was committed to the state insane asylum yesterday, was taken to Stockton last night by Deputy Sheriff Laird.
R. Johnson appeared before Police Judge Briggs yesterday charged with riding his bicycle on the sidewalk, but owing to the youth of the defendant, the police magistrate allowed him to depart with a suspended sentence hanging over his head.

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LOCAL BREVITIES

The trial of criminal cases will begin before Judge Austin on Wednesday the 13th of this month.

The preliminary examination of Paul T. Williams on a charge of larceny will be held this afternoon in the police court.

The Ladies Aid Society of the First Presbyterian church will meet in regular session in the church parlors next Friday afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

R. D. Langworthy of Langworthy's Camp, a summer resort in the Sierras near North Fork, is spending a few days in Fresno on business.

C. H. Sanders and L. Stevens were arrested last night by Patrolman Callahan and cited to appear in the police court this morning to answer to a charge of riding their bicycles on the sidewalk.

M. D. Hurre brought suit yesterday against R. Kelly to recover a balance of \$45.35, due on a claim of \$75.00 for 10,622 pounds of malaga grapes bought at Redley on the 20th of last July at 134 cents a pound.

Mrs. J. O. Traber, wife of Attorney Traber, who has been in a local sanitarium, where she underwent a minor operation last Thursday, will be permitted to leave today this morning. Mrs. Traber is doing very nicely and will be able to be home in a short time.

John H. Wooden, the brother of the man on Tulare street, was permitted yesterday by Judge Austin to adopt as his own child 11-year-old Miss Wilma M. Kavanaugh. She is the daughter of Mrs. A. Wooden by a former marriage and is a half orphan. The mother of the girl consented to the adoption.

The Justice of the Peace yesterday postponed the preliminary examination of Geo. Clark, charged with deserting his wife, until the 22nd of this month. The postponement was made upon the request of the attorney for the defendant. It is understood that Clark will plead guilty to the charge in the superior court.

County Clerk Barnwell received yesterday the ballot paper from Sacramento on which to print the tickets for the constitutional amendment election on the 10th of next month. He will have 30,000 ballots printed. This is ever so much more than needed for the number of registered voters. But he is compelled under the law to print at least one and a half times more ballots than there are electors in a precinct.

FRESNO DELEGATES TO TAKE PART IN PARADE

Fresnans With Band Will March in I. D. E. S. Parade Thursday.

Between 100 and 150 Fresno members of the I. D. E. S. will go to Hartford Thursday morning to take part in the big parade which will be held in that city on that date. The train will leave Fresno at 7:30 in the morning. During the day the Fresno delegation will march in the parade and will be headed by Tilton's band. They will carry banners. It is thought that the large showing from Fresno will make a fine showing at the convention. J. L. Eaton, who is a member of the local committee, stated last night that the committee did not hold a meeting yesterday afternoon to arrange for a special car.

BLOOD IS SHED IN STRIKE IN SPAIN

BILBAO, Spain, Sept. 12.—There was a clash between the strikers and the civil guards last night during which the latter fired into the crowd and wounded eight persons. Two of them fatally, it is thought. All trades unions have proclaimed a general strike here.

IN THE LODGE ROOM

COURT OF HONOR.
Several applications for membership were read and accepted at a meeting of the Court of Honor Monday evening. Several enthusiastic tributes were made including one by W. R. Carey. The next meeting will be September 25th.

FRATERNAL AID

Members of Fraternal Aid Society held a meeting last night. The meeting was largely attended. Mrs. Minnie McCutcheon was elected to the office of vice president to fill the vacancy made by C. E. Bates, who has moved to San Francisco. The delegates, who last Saturday attended the district convention at Tulare, made their report last night. At the convention in Tulare D. O. Cleveland of Tulare and C. Gustafson of Hanford were elected to attend the district convention in Lawrence, Kansas, next month. The next district convention will be held in Hanford. A social evening followed the routine business.

WOODMEN OF THE WORLD

The attendance at the second meeting of the Woodmen of the World chapter of Manzanita place, W. O. W., at the new meeting place, the A. O. U. W. hall on Fresno street, last night was very small. Two candidates were elected to membership. C. E. Traves, who has been sick at his home for two weeks, was reported as having taken a relapse and is not any better. E. Burwell has gone to San Jose, where his mother is reported to be very sick. Chief of Police Jones, of the building committee, reported that the committee was in favor of selling to the Purloin Lecture Club a strip of land three feet wide on the south side of the lot on E. and Tuolumne streets, and it was decided to defer the matter until next Tuesday, when it will be filed with Captain Curtis Neal of the drill team is busy getting his team to drill and is looking for any member who might be eligible and can devote his time to the work. Neighbors Dunlap and Harrison of Marysville were present, and talks were made by several of the members.

CARD OF THANKS

For the kindness, sympathy, favors and assistance given to our mother during her last sickness and to ourselves by the neighbors and friends, we wish to express our sincere appreciation.

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CHARTER ARRIVES FOR MEXICAN ORGANIZATION

Over 1800 Will Probably Join Union Last of This Month.

A permanent organization of the Mexicans in this vicinity is considered an assured fact now and the Fresno local will be affiliated and recognized by the Western Federation of Labor, of yesterday a charter from the Federation was received by Joseph de Kelange, secretary of the Mexican organization. Meetings will be held every Saturday night in Union hall.

According to the secretary, there are at present over thirty members in the new union and 1,800 or more Mexicans who are working in this county, have signed papers stating that they were in sympathy with the union and would join when they came to Fresno. Mrs. Kelange has been in Fresno for the past eight months attempting to better the condition of the Mexican working class by organizing them and last Saturday night her efforts were rewarded.

The organizing of the Mexicans in Fresno is only the beginning step toward the forming of a state-wide organization. In the near future an office will probably be opened in El Paso, Texas, and then every Mexican entering California will be asked to join the union. Mrs. Kelange yesterday stated that no movement would be made by the Mexicans as an organization for some time, but that when the organization became strong, they might demand an increase in wages from the growers. The Fresno local is not confined to any special laborers, and section employees as well as those who work in vineyards are being taken into the union.

TAKEN IN ON SALE OF LIVERY STABLE

Mrs. McLean Wants the Contract and Chattel Mortgage Rescinded.

Ellen McLean pleads now that she was the victim of sharp practice when induced in August, 1910, to buy from John Blazer and W. H. Qualls the Ventura stable business at J and Ventura streets for \$2700. She filed answer yesterday to Blazer's complaint to recover on the last unpaid note, and, in a cross-complaint against him asks that he be awarded nothing on his claim, that he produce for cancellation the unpaid note and that he rescind the mortgage and sale contract he executed on the air, ground of deceit and false representations.

The allegations in answer and cross-complaint are alike and in effect that the three notes and chattel mortgage procured from her by fraud and deceit. Representations were made, she says, that the livery and stable business was worth \$2700, that the monthly revenue was from \$300 to \$800 and that the stock was all young and not over 7 years of age.

In fact now that she has learned through the costly school of experience she avers that the business was not worth over \$2000, the revenue was not more than \$200 and the stock in horses was 12 years old with three notable exceptions. Mrs. McLean says that advantage was taken of her business ignorance and susceptibility to the overtures of designing persons, her age, infirmity and mental and physical feebleness.

She made the purchase, however, paid \$1000 on account and gave notes for \$1700 and gave a chattel mortgage to secure the unpaid balance. Subsequent to the mortgage she paid up two of the notes, making a total of \$2700 paid on the \$2700 agreed upon.

C. D. Edgerly is a codefendant in the Blazer original suit, having an interest in the chattel mortgage.

MAN'S BODY FOUND ON RANCH NEAR MENDOTA

Sheriff and Deputy Coroner Will Leave Today to Investigate Case.

The body of a man, whose name is not known at the local coroner's office, was found yesterday on the John Tuft ranch, ten miles west of Mendota. The information was received by coroner last night by telephone from Judge Meyer of Mendota. The magistrate did not know any of the circumstances in connection with the case and simply told the coroner that the body of a man had been found on the ranch.

Sheriff Walter McSwain was not officially notified of the finding of the body and for that reason it is presumed that death was due to natural cause, without a physician in attendance, or from an accident. Sheriff McSwain will leave this morning for the Tuft ranch to investigate the case. Deputy Coroner J. O. Stephens will also leave this morning and hold the inquest.

It is thought that had there been any evidence of foul play in connection with the death the body would have been taken to the county jail and some of his deputies would have been notified. Coroner Dean last night stated that the information given by Judge Meyer was very meager but that he supposed a laborer had been up on the ranch and had been found from an accident without a physician being in attendance, in which case the coroner would be called upon to hold an inquest.

TRACTION COMPANY SUED FOR DAMAGES

The Fresno Traction Company was sued yesterday by a carpenter named B. Montgomery, who asks for \$7,500 damages for personal injuries received by him on the 2nd of last July. He represents that the motorman slowed up the car at J and Santa Clara streets to permit him to descend, but started up without warning at increased speed before he could alight and he was thrown off and forward. Montgomery is an aged man and says he had both wrists broken, the left leg bone fractured, four inches knocked out of the left upper jaw bone and that he was otherwise bruised and maimed.

I. O. O. F. ATTENTION
The funeral of L. C. Gillum, a member of Four Creeks Lodge, I. O. O. F., Visalia, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from the Stevens and Bean, under the auspices of the Fresno General Relief committee. I. O. O. F. members of the Order are requested to be present.
W. D. GREEN, Secy.

ABANDONED BABE IS TAKEN IN ADOPTION

Reputed Father Is Traveling Evangelist Named R. R. Willing.

Judge Austin permitted yesterday Mr. and Mrs. G. H. Grassley of Tallahassee to adopt out of the orphanage a 6-month-old girl baby, who is on the court records under the name of some name of date, the Willingham. The child was abandoned here about four months ago in an apartment house by the reputed father, a traveling evangelist named R. R. Willing, who during his sojourn here held forth in the Oriental theatre. Left with the baby, the infant was placed in the care of the Humane Society at the age of twenty-one days. Attorney E. A. Williams states that the society caused a warrant to issue for the arrest of the father and placed his description of the babe and departure from Fresno in notice of him has been found. When he came here, he informed the Humane society he stopped that the child had been born to a man and that the mother and child, Mr. Harvey of the society says it was understood that the babe was the child of the evangelist's sister, a girl of 14 years of age, who was not his wife.

START WORK SOON ON GUSTINE LINE

Power Company Is Receiving Material Now for Work at Madera.

The San Joaquin Light & Power Company is preparing to begin work within a very short time on its power line from Madera to Gustine. Material has already begun to arrive in Madera and from there it is being hauled by team to convenient points.

The building of this line is only one step more in the movement of the company is making to supply light and power to all places between San Francisco and Los Angeles. Through the Pacific Light & Power Company, it is the intention of the power people to invade San Francisco, Los Angeles when the Big Creek work is completed.

The installation of a line to Gustine will furnish a means to transport power to be used in the west side irrigation work. The San Joaquin Light & Power Company has been considering this for some time.

NOTABLE PHYSICIAN SPEAKS HERE TONIGHT

Lecture of Dr. McCormack at High School Is Open to Public.

Dr. J. N. McCormack of Bowling Green, Ky., known the country over as a lecturer on medical subjects, will speak at the high school auditorium this evening on subjects of popular interest. He is coming here under the auspices of the Fresno County Medical society. The lecture will be neither technical nor scientific. Further Dr. McCormack has a wide reputation as a magnetic and interesting speaker. The time for the lecture is 8 o'clock. It is open to the public.

CLOSING AWITS MONAGHAN ESTATE

The estate of the late P. H. Monaghan was reported yesterday by the brother and administrator practically closed. A condition for distribution among the heirs of \$1000, including \$750.35, for immediate distribution. Total estate receipts have been \$16,629.18, expenses \$2075.24, assets remaining \$14,553.94.

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Spring Clothes Pins, 5 dozen.....25c
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Misses' and children's Jockey Button Boots, vic kid uppers, patent tips, extension soles, patent leather collar. Sizes 5 to 8, pair.....\$1.45
Sizes 8 1/2 to 11, pair.....\$1.65
Sizes 11 1/2 to 2, pair.....\$1.85

Boys' Shoes
Boys' box calf shoes, made over good lasts, all solid leather, nobby blucher lace styles. Sizes 1 to 2.....\$1.49
Sizes 2 1/2 to 3 1/2.....\$1.79

Men's Shoes \$1.65
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SOCIETY

Dr. and Mrs. F. L. R. Hanks, whose marriage occurred in San Francisco about the first of the month, have returned from their honeymoon trip and for the present are stopping at the Sequoia Hotel. Dr. Hanks had his automobile at San Francisco and in it the young couple spent ten days in a motor journey through Lake county, returning to San Francisco on Sunday last. They will live for a time at the hotel while their new home is building.

Mrs. Thomas H. Minton and little son, James Everett Minton, have returned from a sojourn of several months in San Francisco.

Mrs. W. D. Cates and son, John Cates, are among the recently returned Fresnoans, who spent the vacation season in Berkeley.

Mrs. M. B. Harris, is spending the week in San Francisco.

Very quiet was the morning of Miss Gertrude Costley and John Alquist, which occurred last night at the home of the bride's brother, Arthur H. Costley on Effie Street. Only the immediate relatives witnessed the ceremony, and the young couple left on a train for San Francisco, where they will spend a few weeks.

Mrs. William McLane, of Bakersfield, is the guest of her mother, Mrs. Stanton L. Carter, for a short while.

Miss Amy Way left yesterday morning.

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ing for Menlo, where she will re-enter the Convent of the Sacred Heart.

Mrs. Harry White and little son, Truman, are at home again, after a very delightful vacation in Pacific Grove.

Mrs. John W. Gearhart returned on Monday night from her summer outing, enjoying a very pleasant trip to Santa Cruz and San Francisco.

Gordon Beveridge, of Edinburgh, Scotland, and Mr. Altken, of Kildare, Scotland, are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. George P. Beveridge for several weeks.

The Take Embroidery Club held an unusually jolly meeting yesterday afternoon with Mrs. J. E. Lang at her home on Calaveras Avenue. All sorts of new ideas had been gathered during vacation trips, and the afternoon hours flew away all too soon. Delicious refreshments were served later in the afternoon, marking the conclusion of the happy affair. The next meeting will be held at the home of Mrs. McMillan on Portcham Avenue.

Memoranda W. A. Hunter, H. J. MacFarland, F. C. Knapp and F. C. Hughes, motored to Redwood yesterday afternoon, to attend the funeral of T. L. Reed.

A simple ceremony was that which early yesterday morning united Miss Viola Bayless and William Reddison, in marriage at the Y. M. C. A. rooms on I Street. An effective arrangement of pepper boughs, and oleander blossoms, formed a pretty background for the bride party. The bride wore a dainty lingerie frock, which was later changed for a becoming traveling suit with hat to match. Miss Lois Pool, made an attractive little ring bearer. Rev. Duncan Wallace, was the officiating clergyman. The young couple left soon after the ceremony, for Oakland, where they are to reside.

Miss Anne Meur came home yesterday from San Francisco and Fort Barry. In the latter place, she was the guest of Lieutenant and Mrs. Parker. Mrs. Parker being better remembered in Fresno, as Miss Abbie Woodward.

Mrs. A. B. Clark and daughters, Misses Eva and Georgina, arrived in Fresno on Monday night, after a seven weeks absence, which was spent at Los Angeles and the adjacent beaches.

Mrs. W. W. Cross is spending a few weeks in San Francisco.

The St. James' Guild of the Episcopal church held its first meeting since the vacation lapses, the members being the guests of Mrs. J. B. Hughes on this occasion. The most important event under consideration, is the Chrysanthemum Fete, which occurs yearly at the latter part of October. The committee in charge of the fete, are the guests of Mrs. J. B. Hughes on this occasion. The most important event under consideration, is the Chrysanthemum Fete, which occurs yearly at the latter part of October. The committee in charge of the fete, are the guests of Mrs. J. B. Hughes on this occasion.

Mrs. and Mr. A. S. Perkins have recently completed an extensive trip through the east, and are once more established at their home on California Avenue.

Mrs. G. W. Beall has returned from a visit to her daughter, Mrs. J. Learned Holmes, in Los Angeles.

The parlors of the First M. E. church were attractively ornamented, last night, in celebration of the marriage of Miss Reenie Connor and Harley Coburn. Only the intimate friends of the young couple were in attendance, though there was a large crowd, who pressed forward, immediately after the ceremony.

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ceremony to shower them with congratulations. Miss Connor wore a lovely gown of sheer muslin, and the guests with a suit of a suit of orange blossoms. Miss Ada Shipkey, as maid of honor, also wore white, her costume being fashioned from marquisette, with embellishments of hand work, and Miss Katherine (August) was dressed in a dress of white silk, with over pink silk. The groom was supported by John Banner, in the capacity of best man. Adrian Connor and Lillian Smith, as they attendants, served as flower girl and ring bearer. The ceremony was performed by Rev. J. L. Pitner.

Mr. and Mrs. Coburn left on the night train for Los Angeles, where they will spend several weeks.

Very pretty and interesting was the wedding at a church last night in the Calvary Presbyterian church of Miss Olive T. Weirick of this city and Leslie M. King, formerly of Fresno but now employed at Stockton, Cal. With about three hundred guests present, Rev. Duncan Wallace performed the ceremony. The ring ceremony was unique.

Miss Harriett Hancock played Mendelssohn's wedding march, and just before the ceremony, Miss Ethel Westburn sang very pleasingly, "Oh, Praise Be To Thee." The bride was given away by her brother, R. L. Weirick, while the groom was attended by another brother, Lawrence Weirick. Gladys Weirick, sister of the bride, was maid of honor, and ushered by Mr. Charles Kearney, Frank King, Albert Todd and James McDonald.

After the wedding, a dainty supper was served at the home of the bride, 701 Angus Street. The young couple will leave for San Francisco this morning to spend a honeymoon before returning to Stockton, where they will make their home.

Miss Sarah Miller and C. H. Crawford were united in marriage last evening at the parsonage of the First Baptist church, Rev. C. H. Crawford officiating. Miss Miller, the daughter of W. T. Miller, of Fowler, Ark. and Mrs. Crawford will reside in Fresno.

Yesterday morning at the manse of the Calvary Presbyterian church, Miss Anna E. Connor and John Morris, Esq., quietly joined in marriage, by Rev. Duncan Wallace. Both the bride and groom are of Tranquility Colony.

The suburban home of Miss M. Roche on West avenue, the site of a jolly party given on Monday afternoon in honor of her nephew, Maxwell Beltzer of Oakland. A delightful afternoon was spent in games and music. Those present were: Mr. and Mrs. A. Bendoski, Mr. and Mrs. H. L. Wallace, Mr. and Mrs. S. H. Granger, Mr. and Mrs. Pieper, Mr. and Mrs. Charles Biehle, Mr. and Mrs. Roche, Mr. Kohman and Mr. and Mrs. Fred Wheeler, Misses Cecilia Reiter, Francis Bendoski, Agnes and Anna Kandorsky, Bertha and Lena Biehle, L. V. Lawton, Bertha Kohman, L. H. Granger, Louise Biehle, Margaret and Cicelia Quinlan, Margaret Roche and Christine and Dagmar Mogensen, Messrs. John and Charley Hauslander, Ralph Irwin, Tom Quinlan, Will and August Schiele, Chas. Kohman, Anton Pieper, Jr. and Philip Schifer.

J. Wip and daughter of Maryland are visiting in Fresno and are the guests of Mr. and Mrs. William Harvey, Sr.

At the home of Mr. and Mrs. William Main at the corner of Fruit and Central avenues last night at 5:30 the marriage of their daughter, Miss Carolina to Edmond Brenner, was solemnized by Rev. H. H. Corvett, pastor of St. Paul's Methodist church, officiating. The ring ceremony was used. Many friends were present and the bride received numerous presents. Immediately following the wedding, supper was served. The dining room was prettily decorated with greenery and flowers. The bride was charmingly gowned in a white dress. They will leave this morning for San Diego where they will make their home.

WORK BY W. C. T. U. FOR SUFFRAGE REPORTED

Executive Committee of Bi-County Organization Meets Here.

Activity in campaigning for equal suffrage was shown in reports submitted yesterday at the quarterly meeting of the executive board of the Fresno and Madera counties—Bi-County W. C. T. U., which was held at the First Presbyterian church in Fresno, and enthusiasm in the work almost every town and district was covered in these reports.

The session was in progress from 10 a. m. to 3:30 p. m. A very interesting report was made on the progress of the work, which was held at Pacific Grove, August 6th to 11th, at which the bi-county W. C. T. U. was represented. Policies for the coming quarter's work of the W. C. T. U. were considered at length.

Members of the board present at yesterday's meeting included: Mrs. Mary Tyler, Clovis; Mrs. J. B. Hurlburt, Del Rey; Mrs. Anna Pettit, Mrs. Mary McQuiston and Mrs. Mary Smith, Fowler; Mrs. C. H. Jasper, Mrs. Nellie Hagney, Mrs. N. K. Compton, Mrs. H. F. Wakefield, Mrs. Hattie Griffin, Mrs. F. Fields, Mrs. G. Markley and Mrs. Anna Marden DeTo, Fresno; Mrs. Evans, Linton; Mrs. J. C. Nourse, Redding; Mrs. J. L. Altheil, Mrs. M. B. Pelton, Miss J. E. Vance and Mrs. D. H. Stimes; Mrs. Marjorie Gordon, Rollins; Mrs. W. L. Byer, Madera; Mrs. W. B. Green, Easton; Mrs. Laura Ithra, West Park.

ISSUE RATES UNDER COMPENSATION ACT

Editor Republican.—In view of the fact that the companies doing liability insurance business have issued manuals quoting the rates that will prevail under the Roseberry Employer's Liability and Workmen's Compensation Act; and not having received instructions to confine my business to insurance under the common law, permit me to state that the opening statement in your editorial in last Sunday's paper is not correct, at least as to the company I represent, and I believe some holds good as to other companies.

If you will correct the statement referred to provided, of course, you are warranted in doing so after an investigation, and will publish your Sunday editorial—revised as to the above matter—it will be best to do so, as you want to recommend the humanitarian side of the law, but are more or less suspected of being interested only because of the larger premiums involved in the workmen's compensation policies.

ALPHONSE NEWHOUSE.

Fresno, Sept. 12.

I would not reprint an editorial—once in all the public will stand forth—but we are very glad to hear that the insurance companies have announced rates under the new law and recommend their acceptance. In that commendation the Republican must cordially join.—Editor Republican.

MILLER & LUX LAWYER OPPOSES OPENING OF SAN JOAQUIN

Treadwell Sends Letter to Major Cheney on the Project.

Was Leader of Opposition at Public Hearing in This City.

Edward F. Treadwell of San Francisco, attorney for Miller & Lux, and for several West Side canal companies, who represented the opposition at the hearing held here last July by Major Cheney, on the subject of opening the San Joaquin river to navigation, has sent giving further data in opposition to the plan. The letter is an argument, including a mass of figures, directed largely against the physical feasibility of navigating the stream. Miller & Lux have figured as the most active opponents of the efforts of the Fresno committee, which desires to get a government appropriation for the opening of the river, in order to give Fresno better freight facilities, and possibly better carrier rates. Cheney is expected at any time to furnish a report on the matter, to the department as a result of investigations he has carried on. Treadwell's letter in full is as follows:

"San Francisco, September 11, 1911
"S. A. Cheney, Esq.,
"Major Corps of Engineers,
"Custom House,
"San Francisco, Cal.

"Dear Sir:—
"In transmitting you herewith the data promised in regard to the proposed improvement of the San Joaquin river with the view of making it navigable, to-wit: report of W. C. Bennett, C. E., profiles showing flow of the river and map showing land irrigated from the main river, I trust that you will find this data of assistance in arriving at your conclusion in this matter. In submitting the matter respectfully suggest the following considerations shown by this data and by other matters which appeared on the hearing:

"1. The mere fact that the river was to a greater or less degree navigable in early years is an immaterial matter, unless we wish to abandon the irrigation which has destroyed the navigability of the river.

"2. Originally the waters of Kings river flowed into the San Joaquin river and helped to increase its flow. More than 450,000 acres of land are now irrigated by the waters of Kings river alone. Unless the people using the waters of Kings river are willing to abandon this irrigation and turn this water back to the San Joaquin, they should not ask the irrigators on the main river to sacrifice their irrigation to navigation.

"3. Originally the following streams discharged their waters into the San Joaquin, and added to its volume: Merced river, Tuolumne river, Stanislaus river, and Calaveras river. These rivers now actually irrigate over 500,000 acres of land, and 225,000 acres additional land are within irrigation districts and under canals on those streams. It is hardly to be supposed that the irrigators on these streams will care to subordinate their rights to navigation.

"4. On the main San Joaquin river there are actually irrigated over 350,000 acres of land. This does not include large acreages which are overflowed more or less, but which are not prepared for systematic irrigation. Irrigation of the land now irrigated, including necessary loss by seepage and evaporation, requires a constant flow of about 2500 cubic feet per second during the irrigating season from April to October. As the river does not carry that much water during the last two months of the season, a correspondingly increased amount must be used during the earlier part of the season.

"5. The river is not naturally navigable with less than 400 cubic feet of water per second. During the last year about sixty days a year during seven years, and for about 150 days a year during three years.

"6. To make the river navigable by means of locks would cost more than the value of the land now irrigated. A large canal from Fresno to Antioch.

"7. The only remaining method is by reservoiring the water during the flood period in the mountains. This has many times been said. In its favor it would increase the available supply of water in the latter part of the irrigation season and enable an increased area to be irrigated. It would prevent damage caused by the extreme floods, which are being felt by the great extent of lands along the river are brought under cultivation. It is not so clear to what extent it would increase the navigability of the river. The mean flow of the river is only 2837 cubic feet per second. If this were distributed equally throughout the year, the river would never be navigable. This would also prevent the land from being naturally overflowed, and require the land heretofore overflowed to be artificially irrigated, thus requiring still more water for artificial irrigation. A most careful study of the matter has convinced me that the only way by which conditions as to irrigation, overflow or navigation can be materially improved is by the impounding of the water. When impounded, I believe it will be found that the use of the water for irrigation is far more valuable than any benefits to be derived from navigation, but that so far as navigation can be improved without interference with irrigation, it can only be accomplished by means of storage.

"These observations are submitted not in a spirit of antagonism to any particular plan, but in order to assist in reaching a proper basis for any thing that is undertaken in the premises.

"Very respectfully yours,
"EDWARD F. TREADWELL."

MIGRATORY LEAGUE HAS NEW OFFICE

The Migratory League will open new offices today on Fresno street, on the west side, for the conduct of business of the organization. The secretaries of the various organizations within the league will have their offices there and a free employment bureau will also be installed. The State Federation of Labor will open an office somewhere in the mercantile district within the next few days, to be one of the regular branch offices in the state.

FRUIT PICKERS
Thirty tags carried in stock at the Fresno Republican Job Printing office.

MANY VIOLATING CHILD LABOR LAW; ACTION TO BE TAKEN

State Federation of Labor to Prosecute Unless Law Is Obeyed.

Forty Present, Seventy Absent in Kirk School; Russians Chief Offenders.

With the opening of the Fresno city schools, complaint is made that a large number of children are being kept out to work, in violation of the state child labor law. The matter was at first taken up by the superintendent of the Public school, and through him it has been taken up by T. C. Seaward, representing the State Federation of Labor.

A number of cases have been reported where children under 15 years of age are working in green fruit. Seaward stated yesterday that this would be overlooked for two or three days, but that after that prosecutions would follow. Notice will be served on every peaching firm and any violations afterward will be prosecuted.

It has been difficult to check the working of the children, because they leave for the fields as early as 4 o'clock in the morning and do not return until late at night.

An example of the extent to which children are being worked was given yesterday when it was said that when the Kirk school opened there were forty present and seventy absent. In the Lincoln school there has also been a noticeable falling off from the same cause, as well as in some of the other schools, but definite figures will not be obtainable for a day or two.

The principal offenders are the German-Russians, although it is stated that some of the other nationalities have put their children to work contrary to the child labor law.

T. C. Seaward made the statement yesterday that prosecutions will be taken up if the state law is violated, as the State Federation of Labor proposes to see that it is enforced.

A conference between Seaward and the principal of the Parental school will be held some time today, at which time it is probably some line of action will be decided upon.

KERMAN FAIR MEETING POSTPONED ONE DAY

Secretary Eberhart Announces Entry of Big Herd of Jersey Cattle.

Several members of the Fresno County Fair Association went to Kerman yesterday to arrange for an exhibit from there for the county fair. As the directors of the Kerman Board of Trade do not meet until tonight, nothing could be done. The directors will go to Kerman tonight, however, and meet with the board. A strong effort is to be made to secure an exhibit from Kerman.

Secretary Eberhart announced yesterday that he had secured an exhibit from sixteen head of Jersey cattle from N. H. Lock & Company of Lockport, Calif., for the fair. The Lock farm is considered the best Jersey farm in the state and seldom before has an exhibit been made except at the state fair. These cattle will be in the general cattle exhibits and some of them will also take part in the milking contest, a purse of \$250 having been offered by W. F. Chandler for this event.

The regular meeting of the board of directors of the Fresno County Fair Association will be held this afternoon.

CARD OF THANKS.

We wish to thank our friends and relatives for their beautiful flowers and kind assistance shown in our late bereavement.

MRS. W. F. BAKER.

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California Oil News

SUIT FOR LAKEVIEW OIL BROUGHT TO END

Union Agrees to Give 1,000,000 Barrels to Plaintiff as Sixth Interest.

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 12.—The Lakeview oil suit, brought by



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Fire Works Amusements of All Kinds All Free

Parker, Barrett, J. M. Dunn, A. E. Hodgkinson and Julius Fried for an accounting of oil sold by the Lakeview Oil Company, and asking for a receiver, the suit involving the production of the gusher, estimated at close to ten million barrels, was ended today by the plaintiff's getting satisfactory settlement.

They got one million barrels of oil or its equivalent in money, to a quarter of a million dollars. The Lakeview Oil Company also agreed to pursue active development of eleven wells on the section, 25, 12-24, drilling them to a depth of twenty-seven hundred feet, instead of twenty-five hundred feet, and to keep up drilling until each well is sixty-five barrels or more or until oil is down to 20 cents a barrel. The price is now about 30 cents.

MORE OIL DRILLERS GOING TO BURMAH

COALINGA, Sept. 12.—The Burma Oil Company, Limited, has signed up the following men on a three year contract as drillers to work in the oil fields of India: W. B. Shaw, D. A. Kelsey, W. M. Irwin and E. Adams, well known oil men of this field. The men will leave for Rangoon, via Hong Kong, on the Pacific mail steamer "Persia," September 13th, due to arrive in Rangoon on October 24th.

ROUTING OF LINE ABOUT COMPLETED

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 12.—A. M. Barton has returned from the routing of the Guaranty pipe line, for which he and his partner, A. Parsons, have been surveying. The work is virtually completed and the whole party will be back in Bakersfield in a few days. The distance of the line is seventy miles, being from the Maricopa field to the Ventura wharf. Barton says there are no impossible grades in the way, but there will be several difficulties in the way that will tax the ingenuity of engineers when pipe line construction is well under way. It is the purpose of the company to lay pipe of eight inch diameter.

LAND CASINO

The Maricopa National Company has landed the pipe in its well No. 2 and is preparing to perforate the casing. It is expected that the well will be producing before the end of the week according to statements made yesterday by officers of the company.

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HONOLULU OIL GUSHER STILL UNCONTROLLABLE

Well Shooting Oil Into Sumps Now Filled and Overflowing.

BAKERSFIELD, Sept. 12.—In spite of strenuous efforts to control the Hawaiian gusher, No. 10 well on section 31, 31-23, brought in by the Honolulu Oil Company, the well is still shooting oil over the derrick into sumps, already filled to overflowing, and spilling the territory for hundreds of yards. The flow is estimated at 20,000 barrels a day. An effort was made to put the well under control by piling two inch planks six deep over a heavy iron plate and placed over the well. These were soon worn through by the terrific force of oil shot against them and "the gusher" is again pouring over the derrick with as much force as when the oil sand was first struck.

Trains are not allowed to run into the new town of Shale on account of the danger of the well taking fire from the locomotives and all the nearby oil companies are reported to have shut down pending the time the gusher can be gotten under control. The big spouter may be capped in a few days.

ASSOCIATED COMPANY STOPS ELK HILLS WORK

Pumping Deep Well But None of Other Development Being Done.

TAFT, Sept. 12.—The Associated Oil Company is pumping its deep well on section 28 in the Elk Hills. All other development has been shut down. The pump is kept going at a speed strong enough to keep the well agitated and the production is placed at 60 barrels although an eye witness puts it as high as 200 barrels. The oil is of high gravity.

The Standard Oil Company is rigging up on section 23 preparatory to commencing drilling of wells 2 and 3 in which the first gas has been struck. The gas was reached at 2,000 feet in well 2 and at 1,300 feet in No. 3. The wells were at the time, at there was no demand for the gas, but the Standard has use for it and will complete the wells.

OIL NOTES FROM COALINGA FIELD

COALINGA, Sept. 12.—Wilcox and Fieshacker, on section 12, 20-15, are 3,330 feet deep on well No. 1 with 3 1/4 inch casing. The present formation now drilling is a thick body of shale, with sand and shale. The well is being drilled near the apex of the Coalinga anticline, about one-half mile southeast from the Mohawk No. 1.

The Fresno-San Francisco Oil Company, section 1, 20-14, has redrilled well No. 1 and the casing has been carried deeper into the oil. There are eight completed wells on this property. The production goes to the Southern Pacific at the market price of oil when delivered.

The Arica Oil Company, section 7, 20-15, has eleven completed wells and well No. 12 is about completed. The lease is making 17 degrees gravity oil, producing over 15,000 barrels per month, according to the lease.

The Commercial Petroleum Oil and Gas Company, section 31, 19-15, has well No. 1, 150 feet deep with 10-inch casing; the pay sand will be entered at about 1,450 feet.

The Confidence Oil Company, section 31, 19-15, drilled well No. 15 to about 1,300 feet, 6 1/4 inch casing. The well was completed about one month ago, is now making 100 barrels per day, and occasionally flows about 150 barrels per day.

COALINGA PACIFIC HAS SEVEN WELLS

COALINGA, Sept. 12.—The Coalinga Pacific Oil and Gas Company, section 20-15, has seven completed wells on the west side field, the "Pride" of W. W. Parlin, manager. This well made and delivered to the Associated Oil Company, prior to January, 1908, 12 barrels of oil in thirty-nine months. The present production of the property is a little over 8,000 barrels per month. There has been a little water trouble in two wells, but this is now being adjusted.

G. W. Warner, manager of the Dominion Oil Company, operating in Kings county, has taken up a quicksilver proposition for a syndicate of Canadian capitalists. The property is located in township 23 south, range 16 east, in the northwestern part of Kings county. The deal will be closed this week and work upon the property will be started at once. The property has been partly developed, has produced quicksilver in small paying quantities, will now be developed with capital.

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CHILD WAGE EARNERS KEPT OUT OF SCHOOLS

Judge Austin Sends Out Notices to Employers of Minors.

Since school opening day on Monday, Judge Austin as the presiding magistrate of the juvenile court has been busy with notices to employers of minors to keep them out of school and by so doing assist them to keep the wolf from the door by earning wages for work in the packing houses. Many of the appeals are in cases in which such absence from school is not warranted under the law governing the employment of minors as wage earners, and for that reason Judge Austin is sending out the following formal notices to employers of minors, understanding us to the attitude of the court on the question:

"Quite a number of applications have been made to me as Judge of the juvenile court for permits to allow children to remain out of school for the purpose of working in packing houses and other places. For your information, I desire to state that the law allows such permits to be issued by the juvenile court in the following cases only:

"(1) The child must be between the ages of 12 and 14.

"(2) It must be proven by affidavit that the parent or parents of such child are incapacitated for labor through illness.

"(3) The child must be between the ages of 12 and 14.

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MARRYING A WIDOW INCLUDES HER SONS

Ogelvie Desertion Divorce Case Proves the Exception to the Rule.

"Where a man marries a widow with children, he marries her children as well as the woman," remarked Judge Austin yesterday in bringing out the point at issue in the divorce case of D. W. Ogelvie against Louisa H. Ogelvie, for desertion.

Attorney E. A. Williams, securing a complication, cited section 299 of the code in effect when the husband married his wife, which reads: "A man who marries a widow other than his own, he is then presumed to do so as a parent. This made things clear in the case at bar, to grant the divorce under the testimony."

Ogelvie married a widow in Stanislaus in September, 1899, and while at Oxnard in May, 1907, the wife left him for Stockton, accompanying her 15-year-old son, who had come into a legacy of \$2,000 upon the death of his grandfather.

In the correspondence that passed between them, Ogelvie said he wrote to the wife that there would always be a home for her in waiting and he in fact maintained the home at Oxnard for one year after she left. While he did not deny the son by the wife's former marriage a home with his mother under his roof, he did suggest that it were better and more satisfactory that the boy return to his guardian brother, Oakdale. Mrs. Ogelvie never did return and wrote she would not unless her son was to live with her. As this constituted desertion on her part and the boy had never been received by his stepfather as a parent in his family the divorce was granted.

Ogelvie is in business here now as a grocer.

YOUNG MRS. COPELAND IS GRANTED DIVORCE

Was in Court With Diamond Ear Rings and Hobble Skirt.

Mrs. Martha F. Copeland, resplendent in diamond earrings and wearing a hobble skirt also, appeared before Judge Church yesterday afternoon with her mother to press her action for divorce from Ben W. Copeland, formerly in the automobile repairing business here.

Inasmuch as they had settled their property rights out of court and as there was no child to wrangle over, the divorce was readily granted on the ground of cruelty, such as frequently slapping her in the face and choking her. The fair young divorcee was given the privilege to resume her maiden name of Wagner, which she bore before the marriage in November, 1904.

There was intimation given by Mrs. Copeland that the husband frequently chastised her in angry moods after she had taxed him with too marked attention to other members of her sex and upbraided him for late absences at night on "joy rides," but this feature of the case was not pressed as a reason for seeking the divorce. The information was incidentally elicited by questions of the judge who desired to be enlightened as to the causes for Copeland's angry moods.

The mother testified that in May last, Copeland brought her daughter to her house, admitted that he had slapped and choked her and said he had so treated her on numerous previous occasions and they having agreed to separate he had brought her to her mother. Mrs. Wagner said she examined her daughter's person and she was black and blue about the throat with the finger marks of the choking.

WRITE-UP OF KEARNEY PARK MADE FOR SUNSET

Two Thousand Copies to Be Given Out Here for Distribution.

Two thousand copies of an article from Sunset Magazine, containing a write-up of Kearney Park, will be furnished to the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce free of charge for distribution throughout the East, according to information received yesterday. The present visit of Vice President E. O. McCormick of the Southern Pacific to Fresno is responsible for the article. While here McCormick visited the park and was so enthused over what he saw that he instructed his secretary, M. R. Fletcher, to write an article describing the beauties of the place.

Instead of being a purely descriptive article, the story is also of the life of M. Theodore Kearney from the time he obtained the property until it was deeded to the University of California. Mr. Fletcher was in Fresno yesterday with the gallery proofs to have all his information verified. The article will appear in the October number of Sunset.

ANCIENT CASE UP IN A NEW PHASE

Judge Church took under advisement yesterday the long pending suit of F. C. Huebner against Mrs. A. M. Lutz on an assigned claim to recover \$600 for legal services rendered in a Kings county case and a controversy which has been in court in other phases several times. The defendant is now Mrs. George V. Conas, having married the man against whom Attorney Huebner originally sued.

While the obligation was assumed, Huebner's obligation was assumed, the present defendant, before she became his wife, an incident of the trial yesterday was a tilt between Judge Church and Attorney Robert W. Miller of Hanford, the latter stating that the court was under the obligation to a decision ruling out particular testimony. Satisfactory explanations followed the remark and there was no citation for contempt of court.

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"ROANOKE," AN OLD VIRGINIA PLAY, TO BE PRESENTED AT BARTON TONIGHT



Characters from Hal Reid's charming comedy-drama of the South, "Roanoke," at the Barton tonight

and tomorrow night.

Tonight and tomorrow night at the Barton, the Newman-Foltz company will present "Roanoke," a pretty Southern play from the pen of Hal Reid, the well known dramatic writer. "Roanoke" tells a story of great heart interest of life in old Virginia, and is intermingled with good wholesome comedy that adds flavor to the performance. Hal Reid has written many plays, all of which have been very successful, in fact, he is the most successful writer in this country, but "Human Hearts" and "Roanoke" are considered his two best efforts.

Newman-Foltz presents "Roanoke" with their own special scenery which is said to be very pretty and appropriate. Little Gordon Osborn plays the lead in "Roanoke," a part that gives him an opportunity to show his ability in pathos as well as comedy. Miss Foltz plays the part of Roanoke, one of her best characterizations, and the rest of the company are all happily cast. Aunt Dinah, an old nigger mammy, played by Miss Bates, is a part that has become famous as a stage creation of the old southern negroes.

Friday and Saturday Newman-Foltz will present Howard Hall's great success "A Soldier of the Empire," and for the Saturday matinee will repeat by special request their big success of last week, "Amy," and close their engagement Sunday night with "A Partisan Princess."

Seats are now on sale for the entire engagement, prices 10, 20 and 30 cents, matinee prices 10 and 20 cents.

URGING A FRANCHISE ON BELMONT AVENUE

Strongly Signed Petitions
Filed With Supervisors
and City Trustees.

Strongly signed petitions were filed yesterday with the supervisors and also with the city trustees by property owners, asking both bodies to grant the Fresno Traction company a franchise on Belmont avenue to the cemetery. The petitions were filed by E. D. Mann, who circulated them for signatures.

The documents, all duplicates, are signed by 153 individuals with O. J. Woodward's name as the first and N. J. Levinson as the last, the petitions differing from the other previously presented to the city board in that the present ones are not property owners on the avenue, but throughout the city at large.

The signers say that: "Believing that the time has come when both the cemeteries and flooding park should be made more accessible to our citizens, and believing also that Belmont avenue is the most natural and convenient route to said cemeteries and park, therefore petitioning to grant a franchise to the Fresno Traction Company for the construction and operation of an electric road on Belmont avenue from Porterville avenue to the city limits to and beyond Palm avenue."

In so far as the supervisors are concerned, the petition was placed on file with the explanation that no action can be taken on it because in point of fact there is no request of any one for an electric road franchise on Belmont avenue, whereas the petition is premature and at this stage can serve no purpose. "Anyhow," as Chairman Jorgensen explained, franchises of this character are not granted on mere petitions signed at large, but there must be a formal request for a franchise over a described route, with stated conditions, and the franchise is advertised for sale to the highest bidder.

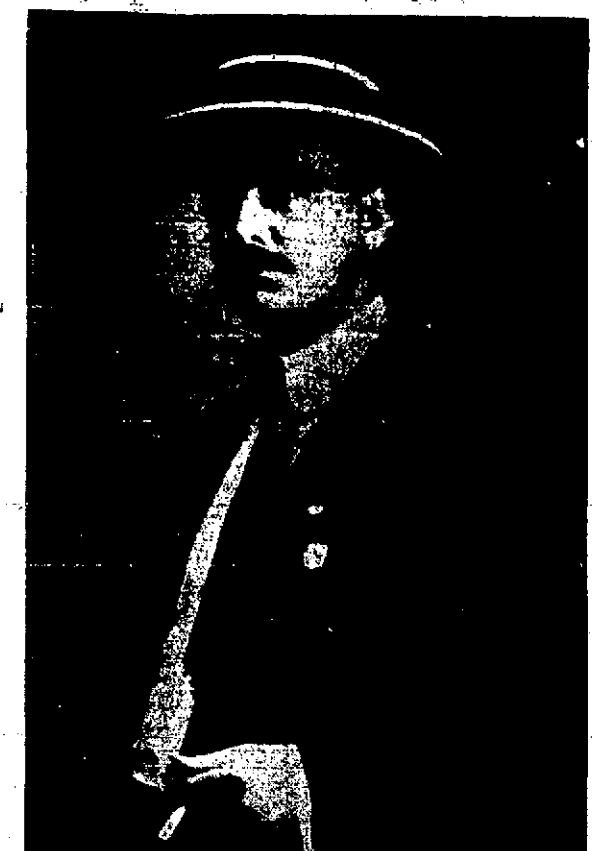
The petition was left with the board for whatever it is worth until the time comes when an application for a road franchise on Belmont avenue is presented.

BISHOP SANFORD TO ATTEND CONVENTION

Bishop Louis Chellis Sanford of the Episcopal church, left Fresno yesterday for Redkey, to spend a short time before leaving for New York, where he will attend the bishops' convention. The convention will be held next month. Before going to New York, Bishop Sanford will visit in Berkeley. He expects to return to Fresno about the last of October.

Star Theater. New show every day.

FRANK THORNE COMPANY SCORES SUCCESS IN "THE GRAY KITTEN" AT THE EMPIRE THEATER



Frank Thorne, whose company is making a hit with "The Gray Kitten" at the Empire this week.

That the Frank Thorne Company, now at the Empire, has made a hit with Fresno theater-goers goes without saying. The house was packed to suffocation at the opening performance and again last night to see the production of the comedy, "The Gray Kitten." The fun was fast and furious and the audience was kept in shrieks of laughter throughout the entire three acts. Clifford Thompson, the leading man, played a very difficult role and played it well. Miss Myrtle Langford,

the leading lady, wears some stunning gowns and plays the part of the Gray Kitten to perfection. She won the hearts of the audience with her clever work. Frank Thorne as Joe Wellman, the gay old boy, helped the fun along. Max Hoen, C. E. R. Berger, Albert Edmondson, Max Witzman, Miss Holdsworth, Miss Fowler, and Miss Houghton kept things moving. The show is the talk of the town. If you want to laugh, see "The Gray Kitten" this week.

FISH CAR FOR INYO COUNTY PASSES HERE

Over 180,000 Trout Will Be
Placed in Streams in
Inyo County.

A state fish distributing car containing in the neighborhood of 180,000 trout of various species, passed through Fresno last night on the Southern Pacific railroad en route to Inyo county, where the fish will be distributed in the streams there. The car was in charge of Superintendent of Distribution McCrea.

The car loaded with the fish left the hatchery at Susan Monday night and was not taken on until the train made the stop at Fresno last night, shortly after 6 o'clock. The train was met by two ice wagons and two tons of ice were loaded into the car to keep an even temperature. The fish were in large cans, which resembled milk cans, and the ice was packed around the outside of the cans.

The peculiar looking car attracted considerable attention at the depot. Many people climbed into the car and the man in charge explained the method of transportation.

In Inyo county, the fish will be loaded into wagons and hauled to the various streams. A large number of golden trout will be taken from the stream in Inyo county, placed in the fish car and taken back to the hatchery.

PORTERVILLE HIGH IS TO BE OVERCROWDED

Total Attendance to Be 225,
Instead of 175 as
Expected.

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 12.—Remarkable as has been the growth of Porterville in the past three years, the school officials were unprepared for the report of the superintendent of the high school, who gave out this afternoon the news that the total attendance at the union school the first day was 180 pupils. As there are many who have made application for admission who were not present today, it is stated that it will be safe to place the total enrollment for the year at 225 students.

Last commencement, the officials predicted that the total attendance for the year would be 175 and provisions were made for that number. Now that the total applications is nearly 30 per cent greater than that, the probability is that the classes will be crowded beyond the point where the best of work can be done.

Preparations are already being made for the submissions to the voters of the union high school district of a proposal to construct new buildings next year, with the proceeds of a bond issue, the size of which has not as yet been definitely decided.

U. S. WANTS MAIL CLERK AND CARRIER

An examination for clerk and carrier will be held at the postoffice in this city on November 1, 1917. Age limit 18 to 45 years, on the date of the examination.

Married women will not be admitted to the examination. This prohibition, however, does not apply to women who are divorced or those who are separated from their husbands and support themselves, but they are eligible for appointment only as clerk.

Applicants must be physically sound, and male applicants must be not less than 5 feet 4 inches in height without boots or shoes, and weigh not less than 125 pounds without overcoat.

BONDS BOUGHT UP BY LOCAL BIDDER

A local bidder bought up before the supervisors yesterday two bond issues by Fresno county school districts. The successful purchaser was the First National Bank. The issues were nine bonds of \$500 each, at 6 per cent, by the Fulton school district, for which face value was offered with interest from September, 1911, and a premium of \$175. The other was an issue by the Canton district of twenty \$100 bonds, also drawing 6 per cent, for which \$21 premium was offered, besides face value and interest. The bank was the only bidder.

FINDS SIDEWALK BUILT IN STREET

PORTERVILLE, Sept. 12.—In running the lines for the paving which is to be done through the business district, the city engineer has discovered that the concrete sidewalks on Main street south of the bridge over the Tule river, on the east side of the street, are in the street about twenty-four inches.

Orders were issued to the owners of the property that they must proceed at once to fix their walks to conform to the survey. The cost of cutting off this sidewalk, and of changing the awning to correspond, will be several hundred dollars.

"I was cured of diarrhea by one dose of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy," writes M. E. Gohardt, Berlin, Tex. "There is nothing better. For sale by all dealers."

FUNERAL OF DROWNED LAD HELD AT CLOVIS

Accidental Drowning Is
Verdict of Coroner's
Jury.

The funeral of James Blackwell, the youth who was drowned in Shaver Lake Sunday, was held yesterday afternoon at Clovis. Interment was in the cemetery there.

Coroner William Bean yesterday morning went to Clovis and held the inquest. The coroner's jury rendered a verdict that death was caused by accidental drowning. Two Clovis boys, named Wright and De Haven, who were with Blackwell in the boat at the time of the accident, testified at the inquest.

They declared that the boat was leaky and that Blackwell had poked them across the lake from Camp 8, so that they might receive medical attention at the hospital at Shaver. The boys had injured their arms while at work in the mill. On the return trip, the boat began to leak and the boys halted on the water with a can while Blackwell did the rowing. He slipped and pitched head-forward and in beginning his ascent, he caught his head. The last at that time was only about the feet from the shore and Wright and De Haven swam to the shore but Blackwell drowned.

EXCURSION TO SAN FRANCISCO AND RETURN.

On September 13th, 14th and 15th the Santa Fe will sell round trip tickets to San Francisco and return, account United Fashion Shows. Final return September 18th.

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A PAGE DEVOTED TO WOMAN'S BEST INTERESTS

VERY SENSIBLE LONG COAT



THE lines of the long coats of the season are very smart. The illustration shows such a coat built of the new heavy reversible cloth in navy blue. The plaided reverse side of the material makes the revers and turnback cuffs.

When the Lamp Is Lit

Musings of Elinor Hite

"If a woman wants to earn the admiration or love of a mere man she should study his temperament." This is the advice given by a woman who has mastered the secret of fascinating the stronger sex. "It is surprising," so this fair one says, "how a man is drawn to a woman tactful enough to display a sympathetic interest in his business affairs, his sports and his general welfare. We are all egotists at heart, and men are no exceptions to this rule of individualism. The woman who bears with his worries and difficulties is therefore high in his estimation while she is present and is held in grateful memory when absent.

"The practical woman in the feminine ideal of the modern man. Let the girls remember this, and when they are inclined to discuss the last concoction of militancy with a man don't intelligently talk to him about the best way to broil a steak or make a salad.

"No matter how fine a conversationist a woman may be, if she is not a talented listener her drawing room will not be filled with members of the masculine element. It has been said that the true test of a wife's devotion lies in laughing at the moth eaten jokes of her husband.

"This rule holds good as well for the maid as the matron, for nothing tickles a man's vanity as a suspicion that he is a born comedian.

"A man, too, loves to talk. His state secrets into the shell-like ear of a pretty woman provided the ear can be trusted. There are so few women who can be trusted in this respect that an absolutely trustworthy one is at a premium.

"Cultivate the art of being a man's companion, his sweetheart, his con-

A HANDY STATEROOM BAG FOR THE OCEAN TRAVELER



TO HOLD SMALL STEAMER BELONGINGS. THERE is no little dresser top room in a small stateroom that a bag of this sort is exceedingly convenient. The large pockets are for veils, handkerchiefs and other articles of the sort. The small pocket is for handpins, and a handy pin cushion is ready for stray pins.

RECIPES FOR FRUIT PICKLES

PICKLED SWEET APPLES.

Get sweet apples that are not entirely ripe and soft. Pare, core and quarter them unless they are sufficient small to cook evenly. In this case they merely require paring and taking out the blossom end. Make a sirup of three pounds of sugar to a pint of vinegar. Spice with a teaspoonful each of whole cloves, cinnamon and allspice and a nutmeg broken in pieces. Tie the spices in a cheesecloth bag. If the apples are whole stick a whole clove in each blossom end of the apple. When the sirup boils up hard skim and drop in the apples, seven pounds to the quantity of sirup given. Stir gently now and then, but do not break them. When they are tender enough to pierce with a straw place them in pickle jars and turn the hot sirup over them.

PICKLED LEMONS.

These are delicious to eat with cold meats and fish. Select small lemons with a thick rind. Rub them with a piece of flannel, then slit them half-way down in quarters, but do not cut all the way through to the pulp. Press as much salt as you can into the slits and place the lemons, on end, in a pan or earthen dish and let them stand for three or four days until the salt melts. Turn them three times a day in their own liquor until they are tender. Then make pickle enough to cover them, using vinegar, the brine from the lemons, a small piece of green ginger and a Jamaica pepper. Boil and skim carefully and let it get cold, then pour over the lemons with some white mustard seed, using two ounces of seed to six lemons.

PICKLED WATERMELON.

This is a good way to dispose of your watermelon when it is plucked and found not good enough for the table. Cut in lengthwise strips and peel and let stand overnight in water and vinegar in equal parts. To one pound of melon allow a half pound of sugar. Add cinnamon and spice to suit the taste. Cook at a gentle boil until you can pierce the melon with a fork and it looks clear. Take out and boil down the sirup until quite thick and pour over the melon while hot.

IF YOUR JELL WON'T "JELL."

An old and always successful housewife says she adds to every pint and a half of fruit juice that refuses to jell two tablespoonsful of good vinegar. As fruit is rather scarce this season remember that the peelings and cores, if the fruit is sound, will make very good addition to the jell supply. Only by gathering up the fragments can true economy be practiced.

BASKETS FOR THE WARDROBE

Baskets are beginning to take the place of fabric covered boxes for holding the accessories of the wardrobe. The first came in with the adoption of low, flat hampers for holding shirt waists, and these hampers have been so improved that the new ones have two trays placed one above the other, but so carefully fitted that the weight of the upper one does not in the least injure the freshness of whatever is placed on the lower tray.

The first tray is usually designed for the very best blouses, those which are the most expensive to do up. This tray is first covered with a heavy white linen, then with a sheet of lavender scented cotton bailing and finally with dotted swiss or muslin embroidery. Attached to the inner long side of the tray are a half dozen little sheets or leaves of linen, one of which is laid over each freshly laundered blouse as it is placed in the hamper.

The lower tray, which is several inches deeper than the upper one, is for the tailored linen waists and the different sorts of outfitting shirts, and while it is sachet lined its covering is of lawn, and the sheets are of the same substantial material.

The inventor of sachet is almost because its elusive odor suggests the freshness of country lavender rather than a decided perfume and it should be the only one associated with any garment that goes regularly to the laundry.

FASHIONABLE BEVERAGE

The fashionable drink at afternoon teas and receptions is not tea iced or even Russianized. Instead it is chocolate made very thick and quite unsweetened. Over this, as the maid or butler hands it to you, is poured seltzer or carbonated water from a siphon. You are graciously permitted to add sugar if you so desire.

The Society Launcher

The Social Sea, Not the Briny Deep, Is Her Sphere of Operation

A PROFESSION followed by many women of birth and breeding is that of launching on the social waves women who are ambitious of going where they have never been before—socially. The promoter is generally a kind hearted woman who begins her calling unconsciously. In fact, it usually happens in this way: She is asked by some one who has more money than opportunities to enjoy what it can procure for introductions. She manages them. Her client is enormously and substantially grateful.

"Washington is usually the scene of the debut," says a social observer who has witnessed many successful launchings. "The reason is not far to find, for the cosmopolitan character of the society makes the advent of strangers less noticeable than in less mixed

populations. Even if Washington residents fight shy of the new people the launcher can always depend upon the foreign element to be attracted by wealth. The next step is a cottage at Newport, to be followed by a winter in New York. Some of the foreigners have given invitations to visit their own homes. But if they have not the client is usually anxious to own a chateau or a villa or shooting box abroad, so abroad in the spring launcher and client betake themselves. Then the thing is done. It does not matter how new you are if you have enormous wealth and the prestige that attaches to an influential foreign visiting list.

"Meantime the launcher, in whom kindness and shrewdness are about equal, has known the delights of having no financial embarrassments. She

is retained by her client whenever a move is in progress. 'New' people are never at their ease alone upon unwonted soil. If there is no definite arrangement about fees the launcher has her hotel bills paid, her wardrobe supplied, her every wish gratified. She is treated as an honored guest and extends the hospitalities she enjoys to any personal friends she may wish to share them with.

"Another season may find her first client able to swim alone. But there are new 'new' people, and her fame is not unknown to them. Soon she has a clientele whose invitations make her independent of all home cares. She passes from Washington to Newport, from Newport to New York, from New York to Europe without expense and with the consciousness of being appreciated, wanted—nay, indispensable."

HOW THE SCHOOLGIRL WEARS HER HAIR THIS FALL

WHEN the young girl has reached sixteen or seventeen she is too big to wear her hair in curls or even in a braided "pigtail" down her back. She longs to "put up" her hair with a longing that is only outdone by the desire to "let down" her frocks. There are several pretty ways of doing the hair which do not suggest the conventional coiffure of womanhood, yet

can be kept so beautifully clean and fluffy by constant brushing and fortnightly shampooes that every live, healthy hair stands up separately and gives that soft, luxurious appearance that only the hair of the young ever seems to possess. At night the hair should be well shaken to dry thoroughly from the moisture of the head and to allow the air to blow through it and help make it light and fluffy.

The back. The coils are wound tightly and are pinned very firmly to the head, and the front of the hair is parted and pulled down softly over the forehead. This is a most satisfactory coiffure for horseback riding, tennis or any other strenuous exercise, as the firmly twisted and pinned hair does not readily become disarranged.

When the hair is long, coronet braids twisted around the head are charming. The hair is divided into two strands



THE TWIN COIL. IN CORONET EFFECT. WITH CURL AND RIBBON BOW.

THE NEWEST FALL SUITINGS

THE fall suitings show many boucle or rough effects in two or many toned blendings. A reddish brown cloth with flecks of red, brown and black mingled is very new and good for tailored suits.

Plain serges show boucle borders in harmonious colorings that will appeal to lovers of these bordered stuffs, but the really smart tailored suit is without a border and is made up with no other fabric save perhaps a velvet or silk collar to relieve its severity.

There is a tendency toward heavier serges, which wear and make up beautifully. Some of the new Scotch mixtures that are sure to be popular are pebbled in appearance, with knotted threads in strong colors on their surface.

For dressy wear broadcloth and velvet will most probably lead in popularity. A rough finished material is never suitable for dressy suits, but a broadcloth is, and for afternoon or semi-evening wear a smooth, lustrous broadcloth is the ideal fabric. Besides, it can be worn on any occasion. A rough material of even velvet cannot.

A MOTOR MASCOOT

The inventor of the latest motor mascot evidently thinks one amulet will not prevent a smashup, so he has combined five of the best known emblems of good luck into one.

If you would make sure of coming home whole-machine and body—on your next tour go equipped with this mascot. It consists of a horseshoe with lucky upturned points and seven nail holes. At the base inside the horseshoe is one of the charm ornaments of the kings of Babylon, an emblem of good fortune with ancient Romans—a wheel of the sun chariot.

Above the wheel are two lunar crescents, typical of a lucky new moon. Topping all is the swastika, meaning happiness, good luck and pleasure.

If after all this one comes a cropper he is born under an evil star or has an abominable chauffeur.

New, Yet Old

VARIETY in the coloring of cigar jars is welcomed by the wife, no matter how indifferent her husband may be on this issue. And if a receptacle may be found that proves an artistic note in the living room great



CIGAR JAR OF SILVER DEPOSIT WARE

is the joy of the homemaker. The illustration shows a most delightfully designed cigar jar. It is of cream porcelain overlaid with a tracery of silver. The trade name is silver deposit ware.

A PATTERN BAG.

To the woman who does her own sewing a pattern bag is a necessity. A simple and commodious one is made of green denim or other firm material. There are two rows of pockets of the same material and deep enough to conceal the pattern well. The edges may be bound with tape of a deeper shade and tape hangers or strings stitched at each corner.

TIME TO BEGIN CHRISTMAS WORK

If any girl wants to undertake some rather elaborate but beautiful summer work of an absorbingly interesting kind let her begin one of the fashionable bead bags. Purse and card-cases of beads are also among the trifles turned out by the industrious summer maiden.

Another favorite pastime is the making of voile or marquisette blouses. The pattern is bought all stamped on the material, and to make French dots instead of outlining the design with beads is a newer and less hackneyed treatment. Most of us know how to make French knots, but instructions as to the others may not come amiss. Briefly, they are as follows:

To make a French knot draw the needle through the upper side of the fabric. Hold it in the right hand and with the left hand take hold of the silk at a point near the fabric and twist it two or three times around the needle, then put the point of the needle through the fabric again, very close to the point at which you brought it up, draw the twisted silk closely around it and push the needle through. Hold the twist tight against the goods with your left hand while you draw the length of silk through, so as to keep it from uncoiling. When the silk has been drawn quite through it holds the knot.

AMBER BEADS AGAIN.

Once more in favor are these glistening, gleaming yellow beads which since the time of our grandmothers have been worn as necklaces.

With the collarless blouses and the lingerie frocks, with their low necks, neck ornaments are especially fashionable, and this gives added opportunity for the wearing of this pretty old-fashioned bead.

All sizes are worn, from the small pea sized bead to the one large as a good sized marble. And in the jewelry shops one may purchase them by the string or by the dozen, in this latter way making it as one pleases.

WOMAN'S BUILDING AT APPALACHIAN EXPOSITION



ONE OF THE MOST ATTRACTIVE BUILDINGS ON THE GROUNDS.

THE woman's building at the Appalachian exposition, to be held in September at Knoxville, Tenn., is one of the most attractive and complete on the fair grounds. In it will be found exhibits of all kinds that are of interest to the fair sex. The work of the woman's board of the Appalachian exposition under the direction of Mrs. Perry Lockett has been not only remarkable, but almost marvelous. Mrs. Champ Clark, wife of the speaker of the house of representatives, will open the woman's congress of the exposition.

THE GREATER CARE OF FURNITURE

WHEN one has new and highly polished furniture to take care of, if the care for it is not done correctly there is sure to arise some dissatisfaction. For this there is only one remedy—to learn how to do it correctly and then follow the instructions always.

A furniture polish of which there is none better can be made of two parts crude oil, one part benzine and one part turpentine, but this should not be applied directly to the furniture without a preliminary cleaning.

Taking a chamois and cold water and rub the surface to be polished very gently after first having given it a careful dusting. When done rubbing with the chamois dry well with a soft pad of cheesecloth or some other equally soft rag, and then we are ready for the real polishing of the varnished surface.

There should be no dearth of wads of cheesecloth or any like cloth that

will serve the same purpose, old discarded cotton kerchiefs the worse for trips to the laundry being quite suitable. Slightly saturate one of these wads with the oil mixture and go over the surface that is to be polished very briskly. After having done this the dry cloths are utilized in the taking up of the excess oil that is on the varnish, generally very little if applied with discretion. It is well to remember that it is far better to make several frequent applications than to try to apply an excess quantity of oil at one time to make it suffice for any length of time.

When an article of furniture is polished correctly as above set forth it will not require to be polished more than four to six times a year unless the air be very dusty, when a polishing every month or so will be none too much, as dust is injurious to nicely varnished surfaces, and the only thing to do is to give it polishings regularly.

THE DUTIES OF A CAREFUL WAITRESS

DINING rooms to be at all livable should be well ventilated to insure the air in them being kept fresh and sweet. Odors are not only obnoxious; they attract flies in summer and other household pests.

Tablecloths must be laid smooth and straight and napkins folded simple and not in fanciful shapes. The edge of a knife should be turned toward the plate. Knives and spoons are placed at the right of the plate, forks at the left.

Mustard, vinegar, oils, dressings, etc., should likewise be placed at the side table and served by the waitress. Absence of a waitress is the only excuse that permits the cumbering of the table.

Place knives and forks in the order in which they are to be used, with the first one to be used at the outside. Most housekeepers err in this.

All glasses must be placed at the right and napkins and bread and butter plates at the left.

Place a carafe for the use of every two persons and a salt and pepper box for every two persons. Cracked ice should be placed in the glasses.

For dinner lay a dinner plate for each person. On the right of each plate lay a soup spoon with the bowl turned up, a dinner knife, with the sharp edge turned toward the plate, a fish knife (if fish is served), a tumbler for water, a glass for cherry and a glass for claret (if wines are served).

At the left of each plate lay a fork for fish and a larger one for roast. Lay them in the order in which they are to be used, the fish fork on the outside. At the left, have the napkin folded and, if you wish, holding a piece of dinner bread to be used with the soup.

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JUST THE HAT FOR A PRETTY FACE. ONLY a pretty girlish face should look out from beneath the wide brim of the new poke shaped chapeau—such as the one illustrated. Purple velvet is used for covering the frame, and the trimming of shaded mauve ostrich plumes gives the approved sky-scaper effect at the back of the model. Underbrim trimming is a new departure this season, as this effect has not been employed by the milliners for several years. Consequently the full of real venise lace at the back underbrim of this model has a decided cachet.

SKIRTS TO REMAIN SHORT

ADVICES from Paris state that skirts are to be the same length they have been all summer, with the exception of the trailing evening gown. This makes it necessary for women to wear the smartest and indeed the

PACKERS GETTING READY TO BUY MORE GOODS IN NEAR FUTURE

All Are About Cleaned Up; Some Trying to Bear Price Downward.

Guggenheim and Armsby Are Quoting Low on Old Raisins in East.

Practically all of the raisin packers are getting ready to go into the field within the next two or three weeks and buy to meet their orders. The majority of the firms have practically cleaned up their supply of old and new and a number of others are short on new crop.

With this situation at hand, there is a strong effort on the part of some to hear the game in every possible way, thereby hoping to be able to get the growers to weaken and sell at a figure lower than 4 1/2 cents. At the present time the growers are a unit for 4 1/2 cents or better.

Among the packers reputed to be on the bullish side are Guggenheim & Co. and the J. K. Armsby Company. The Guggenheim Company was quoting old goods in several Eastern markets yesterday at 7 cents for fancy, while Armsby was quoting at 7 1/2 cents. It is generally understood that these people have little goods on hand; in fact, it is asserted that the Guggenheim Company has only about three cars of old goods on hand. The purpose of these people in quoting below ruling prices is said to be to get the Eastern trade to hold off, hoping eventually to get concessions here.

The trade is now in a mood to buy and buy heavily and local packers are worrying about October deliveries. As a result it is pointed out that the growers need have no fear of being able to sell for at least 4 1/2 cents. There is nothing to warrant a lower price, and packers and interests who are in the market dealing according to actual conditions, declare that it is evident that those who are trying to bear are "short."

There has been very little business in the past two or three weeks.

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ESPEE OFFICIALS ARE COMING TO THIS CITY

Platt's Special Car Due Today; Many Railroad Men Here.

A party of prominent officials of the Southern Pacific company is expected to arrive in Fresno this morning from Los Angeles. The officials will come in a special car attached to a regular train. Last night the party's car was sidetracked at Soledad. Those in the party are H. V. Platt, superintendent of the southern division, John Liram Dadds and J. G. Stubbs of the Los Angeles office. Platt is coming here on a tour of inspection.

Several railroad men from the San Francisco office were here yesterday. They are M. R. Fletcher, assistant to Vice President McCormick; J. D. McGill, traveling passenger and freight agent for the Rock Island; Doro Morgan of the "El Paso" line, and Eddie Twigg, traveling freight agent of the Northwestern.

Fletcher is here in the interests of a feature article which appears in the October issue of the Sunset magazine. Fletcher is author of the story. Two thousand copies of this article will be given to the Chamber of Commerce for distribution throughout the east. Fletcher's story is an illustrated writeup of Fresno county. While here he stated that Vice President McCormick is still in New York and is not expected to return to the coast for several weeks. McCormick's return visit to Fresno will not be taken for at least a month.

GILLUM'S FUNERAL THIS AFTERNOON

Funeral services over Lewis Cass Gillum, who died in Los Angeles, will be held this afternoon at 2 o'clock from Stephen and Sean's chapel. The remains arrived in Fresno last night. Gillum is survived by his parents, who reside in Arizona colony, and four brothers, S. W. Gillum of Fresno, R. W. Gillum of Tulare, D. Gillum, who resides with the parents, and C. M. Gillum, who is thought to be in San Francisco. He thought his relatives have been unable to inform him of the death of his brother. Three sisters also survive. They are Mrs. Elmer Cowles and Mrs. John Cowles, both of Beloville, and Mrs. W. S. Pinkney of Reedley.

VALLEY RATE HEARING IS AGAIN POSTPONED

Hill Thinks Railroads Will Present Evidence on Monday as Planned.

At the regular monthly conference of the state railroad commission, held yesterday afternoon in San Francisco, the San Joaquin valley rate case was postponed until October 2, according to telegraphic advices received in this city.

F. M. Hill, manager of the Fresno Traffic Association, when informed of the report, expressed the opinion that the postponement was simply for rebuttal evidence and argument. While he had nothing more than the telegram upon which to base his opinion, he said he believed the railroad would submit its evidence on Monday as scheduled. The railroad commission has been advised that the reports of the various railroads will be ready at that time and for this reason Hill does not believe that there will be any further postponement of the presentation of this evidence. It was originally planned to have the introduction of rebuttal evidence and argument a week after the presentation of the railroad figures.

DRESDEN, Saxony, Sept. 12.—The Saxon army maneuvers assumed a realistic character today when eleven Uhlans lost their lives in the waters of the Elbe. The cavalry scouts were drowned while attempting to swim the river near Pletina.

CITY GOVERNMENT DISCUSSED AT BANQUET

Prof. Jones, Attorney Hayden and Mayor Rowell Are Speakers.

Agreed Commission Plan Meeting Needs But Cases Individual.

The problem of producing a city government that shall be at once businesslike and popular was the subject of discussion last night at the banquet of the Fresno Chamber of Commerce, with Professor William Carey Jones of the University of California, Attorney Thomas E. Hayden of San Francisco and Mayor Chester Rowell of Fresno as the speakers. It was the agreement of the so-called commission form of government, as through its present evolution, as presented in such cities as Madison, Des Moines, Berkeley and Fort Wayne, bringing the machinery of municipal government nearer to the desired ideal, but that no form can be arrived at that will be suitable for all cities and that each must after all work out its own destiny, modifying approved theories to the particular conditions that are found in any one locality.

At the banquet board of the merchants, at the Hughes hotel, there sat down, besides about 125 out of the 150 members of the association, numerous guests, including the following:

J. G. Fikenscher, president, and Harry G. Looney, secretary of the Merchants' association of Visalia, J. W. Hudson, vice president, and V. R. Hurrell, secretary of the Commercial association of Kern County, James H. McCracken, vice president of the Dinuba Merchants' association, W. M. Burr of the Business Men's association of Sanger, D. S. Snodgrass, W. D. Surker, S. H. Gill and Herman Lowman of the Chamber of Commerce of Selma; M. K. Harris and Earl M. Hill of the Traffic association of Fresno, Wylie M. Giffen and William Robertson of the Fresno County Chamber of Commerce and H. H. Alexander of the Fresno Real Estate Board. The officers of the Merchants' association who had given their attention to this first meeting of the members of their organization since the midsummer hill are: President, H. E. Wilkinson; vice president, J. M. McWhorter; treasurer, G. E. Miller; secretary, George Hubbard; and Sig Wormser and Arthur McFate.

JONES SPEAKS

After a mass of good things had been disposed of, President Wilkinson called upon Professor Jones for some information and advice of the merchants of this part of the state regarding new and approved ideas in city government and the drawing up of charters. The professor, who is head of the law department of the state university and as a resident of Berkeley took a leading part in the drawing up of the new charter of that city, at some length analyzed the instrument which has been extensively criticized and copied in many parts of the United States, then gave an hour's talk on new municipal ideas. He said that the desire for municipal improvement is no sudden spasm of reform, but is the result of careful study and of actual operation of various schemes in cities throughout the world. The commission form, he said, starting as it did at Galveston at the time of the disastrous hurricane of 1900, when the people realized that they could not continue the costly extravagances which had marked the old system, has already spread so that it is found in one form or another in 150 cities in twenty-five states of the Union.

Everywhere it received strenuous opposition, he said, from those politicians who had been able to work the older form of government to the disadvantage of the people. It occupied a midway position between the old system of divided responsibility, which gave the people no chance to fix responsibility, and the newer tried system of making the mayor an absolute monarch of the city, able to build up a personal machine which reform movements found it difficult or impossible to break up.

The speaker explained the successive modifications found wise at Houston, Texas, Des Moines, Iowa, and at Berkeley, and explained the system at the latter place in detail. He found that there were five points in favor of the commission form as illustrated there: Its creation of a small council with absolute powers over all municipal activities; its coordination of powers; its abolition of ward lines; its new system of elections; and its conferring of ultimate power of city legislation upon the people through the initiative, referendum and recall. He analyzed the double system of elections, as partly modified in San Francisco and Los Angeles, pointing out that all officials shall be selected by majority vote and yet that all possible candidates and factions shall have a chance to enter the contests. The abolition of ward systems was said to be necessary to give municipalities a true sense of responsibility to the city as a whole and to create a sense of civic patriotism.

"In creating a business administration," said Professor Jones, "it was soon found that the people must be given a constant voice in supervising their business agency. Thus, a good administration could be made workable and permanent at the same time retaining popular confidence. It was found that a good system is absolutely necessary, but that at the same time, no charter will work well unless the citizens are constantly alive to the city's needs."

"It has been found that in all cities there are the three classes of citizens: that small number who want good government for its own sake; that small number who want good government for its own sake; and that great mass of residents who are selfishly indifferent to what the government is. It must be the task of all who desire good government to arouse the men of this last class from their lethargy and get them to take an active part for good government."

NO WORD IS RECEIVED FROM DARING AUTOIST

Dr. Longley and Wife May Have Met With Accident En Route.

Up to a late hour last night, no word had been received here from Dr. O. V. Longley and wife, who yesterday attempted to lower the Fresno-San Francisco automobile speed record. Seated in an E. M. F. roadster furnished by J. D. Morgan of this city, Dr. Longley and wife left the Republic building at noon. The record for a run in a stock car from Fresno to San Francisco is a seven and one-half hours. Dr. Longley believed he could negotiate the distance in five hours.

DRAINAGE DISTRICT HAS ITS TROUBLES

Herman Sanger Chosen to the Vacant Trusteeship By the Supervisors.

The supervisors were entertained yesterday by two of the trustees of the Alluvial Drainage District, which has one mile of drainage ditch in this country, with a full account of the internal dissensions in the district. The descriptions made it to appear that neither faction in the board will agree to anything that the other favors and that the squabble arises over the fact that the high and low lands are assessed more than the one most benefited by the drainage work and pay a higher tax.

The matter came up on a petition with 23 signatures asking for the appointment of H. A. Buckie and another with 21 signatures asking for Herman Sanger for the vacancy caused by the resignation of Leroy Taylor. Taylor's resignation in the hands of Secretary Cates had never been handed in to the supervisors and after mutual charges by Sanger, Cates and the Trustees Christie as to the manner in which the board decided that Taylor had removed out of the district a vacancy has arisen.

Then arose the question whether the board could appoint to fill out the term of Taylor, whether there should be an election? The district attorney read the law in favor of an appointment and then there was a squabble as to the candidacy. The Cates faction objected to Buckie and all candidates suggested, being objected to on the grounds that they would be under the influence of one or the other faction.

ADVANCE MADE IN PRICE OF TOKAYS

LODI, Sept. 12.—The selling price recently established by the dealers and in effect yesterday for tokay grapes, in 50 cents on single crates and 40 cents on double crates. There is a marked preference by buyers for house packed grapes. Had not many growers disposed of their grapes before at \$18 a ton, this price would have netted them from \$22 to \$23 per ton.

VIGOROUS WAR ON WHITE SLAVERS CONTINUED

SAN FRANCISCO, Sept. 12.—A vigorous crusade against white slavers is being prosecuted by local federal officials, the men accused of violation of the Mann act now being in custody here. G. H. Fisher, who was trailed from Chicago to Berkeley, where he was arrested on a charge of enticing Agnes Cuckak, a young girl, from Denver to this city for immoral purposes, pleaded not guilty before Judge Van Fleet today and was remanded to the county jail to await trial. He is charged with having lured Bessie Lowery from Tacoma, Wash.

TWO FRESNANS ARE TO GET BEQUESTS

Alphonse Newhouse and Edna Elms, of this city, have been named among the beneficiaries in the will of Daniel Meyer, the San Francisco pioneer and banker, who died a few days ago. Ten per cent of his interest in the banking firm of Daniel Meyer & Co., is to be divided between Oscar, Alphonse and Leo Newhouse, Helen Juarez, Edna Elms and Tillie Dick, all of whom are nephews or nieces of the deceased. The Meyer estate consists of \$200,000 in cash and property valued at about \$1,000,000.

It is said that he considered the charter of Port Wayne an advance over that of Berkeley. In the charter provided for the election of a board of directors for the city, who should in their turn select the departmental heads, instead of having the elective officials parcel these offices out among themselves. Mayor Rowell, who had been in San Francisco attending a meeting of the board of regents of the University of California, came down especially to attend the dinner and arrived late. He declared himself in favor of a modification of the present city charter of Fresno rather than the drawing of a new form of government. He said that the present board of trustees and commissions are composed of conscientious men, doing their work well and at small or no pay. He declared that a commission government is more suited to larger than to small cities and questioned whether it would not be found too expensive for the small cities of California.

MORE PUPILS SWELLING LARGE ENROLLMENT IN SCHOOLS

All This Section of San Joaquin Valley Shows Large Increases.

Exact Figures Will Be Compiled Only After October Meeting.

It is estimated that, with the high school, normal school and junior college all operating in the high school building here this year, fully 500 pupils will be taking work in the one institution. The second day of the term yesterday brought out more pupils for admission to the various schools, with the result that school authorities are confident that the increase in enrollment in the city schools will this year be at least up to the ten per cent that has been the usual ratio of increase for some years past.

In fact, Fresno is in line with all schools in this part of the valley in this regard. All reports of schools opening so far received from various towns show increases ranging up to as high as 15 per cent or even more. This is at variance with reports from Stockton, where the attendance at the high school has diminished, owing, it is thought, to the opening of a new commercial college there.

Exact figures on the enrollment in Fresno schools will be available only on the second Monday in October, when the principals will hold their first meeting for the term.

It was reported at the normal school yesterday that 115 pupils are enrolled already, and it is believed the total attendance will be 125 by the time the regular work is well under way. With but a few exceptions, all pupils in the normal are women.

Removal of boards underneath desks, on which books have been kept at the high school, was announced yesterday. Students must carry their books about, but a few are allowed to keep them in bags hung in the hall. This has started some talk among the students of agitation for individual lockers in the building.

WANT PART OF REED ESTATE FOR INMATE OF ORPHANAGE HERE

Board of Managers Takes Up Matter in Behalf of Granddaughter.

That an attempt will probably be made to secure a part of the fortune left by the late Thomas Law Reed, founder of Reedley, for Ruth Smith, a grand-daughter, who is at the county orphanage, was the decision reached at a meeting of the board of managers of the orphanage yesterday morning, at the home of Mrs. C. J. Craycroft on N street. The subject of starting proceedings to secure a portion of the estate was thoroughly discussed, but as none of the members present was acquainted with the law regarding the procedure, it was decided not to take any definite action at the present time. The girl is 14 years of age and has been at the orphanage for the past nine years. Her mother was a daughter of the founder of Reedley.

MIND DETHRONED BY BRAIN FEVER

One of the most pitiful cases of arrested mental development was the case brought to the attention of the court yesterday with Mrs. Miller and Moradian recommending that Hovanness Hovessian be committed to the asylum at Stockton. Although twenty-seven years of age, he acts as a child of four years of age, playing with blocks and picture books. At the age of four years, he had an attack of brain fever and recovery left him mentally a helpless child with all mental and physical development arrested. He is not more than four feet in stature. He cried during the entire time that he was in the ward for insane and at the medical examination hung his head on his brother's breast in sobs.

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—Many young girls will be pleased to hear that more of the crushable, or collapsible hoods, are here again at \$1.38.

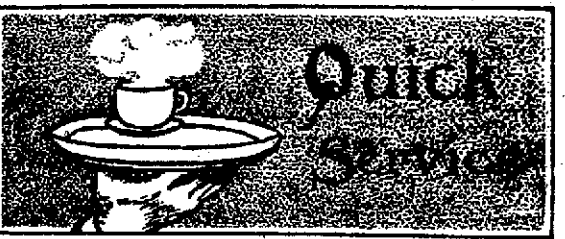
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